WEATHER SYNOPSIS

An ocean storm is approaching the Northern Coast, and unsettled weather is spreading southward. Mild weather is reported from the Prairies.

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Governor-General and Lady Willingdon Are Welcomed by Students

Children to Number of 4,500 Greet Viceregal Party on Occasion of Their Visit to Victoria High School—Is One of the Most Picturesque Features of Many Spectacles Marking Visit

Clever Little Artists Delight Their Excellencies With Performance on Stage

MORE than 4,500 school children and students of Victoria clapped and cheered a welcome to the Governor-General and Lady Willingdon at the Victoria High School yesterday afternoon in an impressive and, perhaps the prettiest, ceremony so far of the viceregal visit to this city.

It was a spectacle such as will linger long in the memories of those who beheld it. Radiating fanwise from a flag-draped dais on the south-eastern corner of the big school, the children were massed on the green lawn of the campus in divisions marked off by flags, the bright colors of which mingled with the varied shades of the girls' frocks and contrasted with the subdued colors of the garments of the boys. To the left of the main entrance to the grounds the 388th Public Schools Cadet Battalion were drawn up in line. And near the dais were grouped the Boys' Navy League Band in the navy blue of sailors.

Though the sun shone mistily, the weather was fine. The children seemed thoroughly to enjoy the proceedings—particularly when it was announced that, in response to the wishes of Their Excellencies, they would be given the whole of today as a holiday to commemorate the viceregal visit. Their conduct was exemplary—save when a slight titter of laughter disturbed their well-disciplined placidity as a moving picture camera man projected most of his person through an upstairs window of the school in order to "shoot" the scene.

No unfortunate incident ruffled the perfect smoothness with which proceedings were conducted. The precision with which the schedule was followed reflected great credit on the organizing ability of Municipal Inspector George H. Deane and those associated with him in arranging the event.

The only unscheduled incident occurred as Their Excellencies were leaving the grounds, and even this was of a charming character inasmuch as it reflected the gracious personalities of the distinguished visitors.

As Lord and Lady Willingdon walked from the front steps, two young girls, May Harding and Pearl Cunningham, advanced and begged them for autographs. Their Excellencies immediately halted and laughingly complied with the girls' request, as did His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Bruce and Miss Helen Mackenzie.

Promptly, the girls were surrounded by an admiring throng as they proudly and excitedly displayed their precious autograph books.

Mayor Greets Party

Mayor J. C. Pendray and Mrs. Pendray and Chairman George Jay of the Board of School Trustees greeted the viceregal party at the Camosun Street entrance to the grounds. As the party advanced, the khaki-clad cadets sprang to attention and the National Anthem was played.

Catching sight of Their Excellencies as they proceeded toward the building, the children broke into prolonged applause and the noise of thousands of small hands clapping as loudly as youthful muscles would permit lasted until after Lord and Lady Willingdon and their party had taken their places on the platform.

In the party on the platform were the Lieutenant-Governor and Miss

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New Witnesses Will Be Called At Probe Today

A FEW new witnesses have been subpoenaed to appear before the Royal Commission investigating British Columbia political campaign funds, which is composed of Mr. Justice Morrison, chairman, and Rev. Dr. J. S. Henderson and Mr. W. H. Malkin, when the inquiry resumes this morning at 11 o'clock in the Court of Appeal room at the Court House here. It is likely that several of the witnesses who last week gave evidence before the commission will be recalled and questioned further.

After this hearing it is anticipated that the commissioners will adjourn to consider their report to the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council, on the evidence produced during the investigation.

TO RESTOCK ELKS IN KETTLE VALLEY

VANCOUVER, March 29.—The old stamping ground of the elk in the Kettle River Valley country between Penticton and Midway, British Columbia, is to be restocked with its native animals.

Today, the C.P.R., on instructions from the Dominion Government, carried a carload of elks from Wainwright, Alberta, which are to be distributed in the vicinity of the Kettle River Valley.

MUCH IS ASKED FROM RAILWAYS

COUNSEL FOR ALBERTA PRESENTS FOURTEEN DEMANDS TO RAILWAY COMMISSION

No Alberta Rates to Be Higher Than Those Paid Elsewhere, But Many to Be Lower

OTTAWA, March 29.—Today's sessions of the Board of Railway Commissioners, hearing the freight rates case, were marked by the opening of argument by counsel, the evidence having been completed before the adjournment ten days ago. Mr. Sidney B. Woods, K.C., representing the Province of Alberta, was the first of the several provincial counsel to address the court.

Mr. Woods declared that he proposed to specially argue for the following fourteen concessions or adjustments in the existing rates situation:

1. The removal of the mountain differential as applied to British Columbia.

2. The removal of discrimination against the provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan caused by the use of constructive mileage between Fort William and Winnipeg.

3. The adjustment of transcontinental rates so that the rates to points in Alberta will not exceed the special rates to the coast.

4. The strict application of the Lake terminal rates, and distributing point tariffs by the Canadian National Railways as directed against the Canadian Pacific Railway in the 1914 judgment.

5. The adjustment of the eastbound grain rates to Fort William to the basis of the C.P.R. main line rates.

6. The equalization of westbound grain rates on the above basis.

7. The granting of lower rates on grade grains from the Prairie Provinces to the coast.

8. The equalization of Eastern and Western rates.

9. The establishing of special seasonal Summer rates on bituminous coal from Alberta to Winnipeg.

10. The enactment of special commodity rates on butter to Pacific Coast points.

11. Also of special commodity rates on eggs and packing house products.

12. The enforcement of one standard mileage rate for all Canada.

13. The granting of one stop-over privilege on carloads of farm implements.

14. The application of the same class rate on butter carloads as applies to eggs carload.

When counsel had completed his enumeration of the headings of his argument, Deputy Chief Commissioner Vien remarked that he hoped Mr. Woods' fourteen points would lead to the establishing of a league of interests to the mutual advantage of all concerned.

Proceeding, counsel elaborated a number of these points in considerable detail and was still quoting from the evidence of the record in support of his contentions at the hour of adjournment.

from the Colonist Tower

Wednesday, March 30

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THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity—Fresh to strong southerly winds; becoming unsettled, with rain.

Sun Rises: 5:57 o'clock.
Sun Sets: 6:38 o'clock.

High Tide: 11:52 a.m., 8.0 feet.
Low Tide: 7:12 p.m., 2.4 feet.

Deep-Sea Shipping

Arrivals—
Toyama Maru, from Orient, at 2:30 o'clock this morning.
London Merchant, from United Kingdom, tonight.

Sport

Hockey results: Canadiens 1, Montreal 1; Chicago 1, Boston 6.
Segrave makes 207 miles per hour at Daytona.
Coast League baseball starts.

The News

Local and Provincial—
Four thousand, five hundred city school children greet Governor-General and Lady Willingdon at Victoria High.
Purchase of Craigdarroch Castle property decided upon by City Council.
City may launch arbitration proceedings with Saanich over water rate.
City Comptroller estimates that receipts for 1927 will reach $1,044,993.

Dominion, Imperial and Foreign—
Ottawa debate on Imperial Conference.
Alberta makes large demands on railways.
Refugees move to Shanghai from Shantung and Honan.
Laborites lose power in South Australia.

Their Excellencies Meet Future Citizens

—Photograph by Shaw Studio.

More than 4,500 school children and students of Victoria greeted Their Excellencies the Governor-General and Lady Willingdon on their visit to the Victoria High School yesterday afternoon. In the above picture are shown from left to right: Lieut. Roy, R.C.N., His Worship Mayor Pendray, Mrs. Pendray, Major H. Willie-O'Connor, Miss Helen Mackenzie, Lieut.-Col. B. W. Browne, His Honor Lieutenant-Governor R. Randolph Bruce, Viscount Willingdon, Lady Willingdon and Mr. H. J. Pollard, who is conducting the singing of "O Canada."

Council Decides to Acquire Craigdarroch Property on Instalment Purchase Plan

PURCHASE of the Craigdarroch Castle property, the premises occupied by Victoria College, including the site, for a sum not exceeding $35,000, was decided upon by the City Council at last night's meeting when the School Board submitted its item in the extraordinary expenditures.

The matter resulted in prolonged discussion as to the merits of the purchase and character of the building for school purposes. It was finally decided to purchase the property on terms, and a committee, comprising Aldermen Holmes, Mara and Adam, was struck to carry on negotiations with the Bank of Montreal, assisted by members of the School Board.

The School Board, in laying before the Council this item of extraordinary expenditure, stated that the Provincial Government would contribute the sum of $10,000. If, however, the purchase price should be less, the contribution will correspondingly decrease. In any event it will not exceed $10,000.

Propose Immediate Purchase

When the communication from the School Board was read, Ald. Brown moved that the sum of $35,000 be placed in the estimates to take care of this extraordinary expenditure. He was making this motion, he said, because he firmly believed in the "pay as you go" policy. He pointed to the fact that the city was already paying $1,000,000 a year in interests and sinking funds because of past borrowings by the Council. There was no necessity of increasing this amount, he stated.

He pointed out that the site on which the building stood was 255 feet by 297 feet and was assessed at $9,000, while the building itself was assessed at $70,000. The School Board has been paying $200 a month rent for the building, and the lease has come to an end. The bank was now asking $300 a month.

Ald. Litchfield then proposed a scheme whereby $20,000 should be paid down on the building, $10,000 from the city and $10,000 from the

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CITY MAY APPLY FOR ARBITRATION

DISPUTE WITH SAANICH OVER WATER RATE DRAWING TO A HEAD

Present Agreement Expires on Thursday—Lakes Are Full to Overflowing

Arbitration proceedings with Saanich will be launched by the city in the event that, upon Thursday morning, an amicable settlement of the water rate such as the water committee can recommend to the City Council, has not been arrived at.

This action was decided upon at last night's meeting of the City Council when the water committee reported that the Saanich Council had not agreed on the question of price to be paid for water and that the agreement between the City and Saanich would come to an end on Thursday.

The committee reported that the Saanich Council would hold a meeting tonight to discuss the water rates. The urgency of taking arbitration proceedings on Thursday was pointed out in view of the fact that the present water agreement comes to an end on that day.

The water committee in its report stated: "It will interest the members of the City Council to learn that on the watershed of the Goldstream waterworks, Number One Goldstream Lake is nearly full; Number Two Lake is overflowing; Number Three is within one inch of overflowing; Jack Lake has been overflowing for several months, and Loon Lake recently started to overflow. A very little more rain will cause every one of the Goldstream waterworks lakes to overflow. Sooke Lake has been overflowing for several months."

Alderman Harvey Suggests Mayor's Robe for Dignity

Inspired by the impressiveness and formality of the freedom of the city ceremony held on Monday morning in the Council Chamber, Alderman Harvey, at last night's meeting of the council, moved that a mayor's robe and chain, such as those worn by the lord mayors of English and Australian cities, be procured for the mayor of Victoria.

The object of this, he explained, was to make the position of the mayor at such functions of the kind held on Monday even more dignified. Many of the Eastern Canadian cities followed the custom adopted in the Old Country.

The result was that Alderman Harvey was appointed to look into the cost and style of such a robe and report to the City Council.

VALUE OF PROPERTY IS $7,331,785,535

OTTAWA, March 29.—An increase of $1,303,772,886 in the total taxable value of real property in Canada is shown for the year 1925, as compared with 1919, according to a report issued today by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

The total value of taxable property in the Dominion was $7,331,785,535 in the year under review, as against $6,028,012,649 in 1919.

Personal property which is only taxed in certain provinces, increased from $52,939,719 in 1919, to $56,452,439 in 1925.

No Harm in Trying

SEATTLE, March 29.—The Seattle Chamber of Commerce today announced that it will make active efforts to obtain the 1928 Republican national convention for this city.

CITY INCOME MAY TOTAL $1,044,000

MORE REVENUE IS EXPECTED FROM LIQUOR PROFITS AND RACE BETTING THIS YEAR

Five Per Cent Reduction in Trade Licences Would Hardly Be Noticed, Says Alderman Brown

Estimated receipts of the City amount to $1,044,993.93, as compared with the estimated receipts of $1,031,789.16 in 1926, and actual receipts for 1926 of $1,137,510.50, it was revealed in City Comptroller D. A. Macdonald's report to the City Council sitting in estimates committee last night.

The original estimate on the city comptroller's draft for 1927 was $1,029,193.93, but the Council, taking into consideration the extended period of racing this year and the fact that the liquor stores would remain open longer increased the estimated receipts from these sources and a few minor sources by some $15,000.

In considering the publicity bureau grant, which had been drafted at $19,500, reference was made to the small grant from Oak Bay and none at all from Saanich and Esquimalt. Alderman Marchant said that the three district municipalities did not assume their share of Greater Victoria expenditures. Of the six votes in the estimates considered by the Council, a cut of $3,050 was made.

Trade Licences

In referring to the estimated receipts from trades licences, which is placed at $110,000, Alderman Litchfield said that something had to be done to smooth out the inequalities. Alderman Brown pointed out that a reduction of five per cent in trade licences would be so small that those affected would hardly notice it, while on the other hand it would help the city in its attempt to reduce the mill rate.

Mayor Pendray said that the trades licences "in this city are a joke compared with Calgary, Regina and Ontario cities." The trade licences in Eastern cities were much higher than in Victoria, he said.

SILENT CONSENT NOT DESIRABLE

Mr. Guthrie Moves Amendment in Debate on Imperial Conference Opposing Assumption of Tacit Consent

PRIVY COUNCIL APPEAL IS PUBLIC SAFEGUARD

OTTAWA, March 29.—Hon. Hugh Guthrie, Conservative leader, in the House of Commons tonight, moved the following amendment in the course of the debate on the Imperial Conference:

"That it is not desirable that this House should be deemed tacitly to have acquiesced in the declarations and recommendations contained in the report of the proceedings of the Imperial Conference, 1926.

"That in the opinion of the House the proceedings of the recent Imperial Conference and the declarations and recommendations contained in the report of the Imperial Conference committee on inter-Imperial relations should not be binding upon the Parliament of Canada until approved by a formal resolution of this House; and that until such a privilege is obtained this Government shall not be deemed to be authorized to take any steps to carry into effect the recommendations contained in said report.

"That it is also the opinion of this House that no amendment should be procured to the British North America Act to give effect to said report or otherwise, which would affect the rights, powers or privileges of all or any of the provinces of Canada as they now exist under the terms of the said Act, unless the same are first approved by the Legislature of each of the provinces of Canada."

Should Ask Parliament

Continuing the debate, Hon. Hugh Guthrie, Conservative leader, said that evidently the Government did not propose to ask Parliament for its approval of the Conference report. Apparently the Prime Minister was of

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TYPHOID VICTIMS APPROACHING 1,500

MONTREAL, March 29.—The typhoid victims of Montreal were rapidly approaching the fifteen hundred mark when at five o'clock it was reported that the number treated since the malady became an epidemic, had reached 1,487. The public has become seriously alarmed over the spread of the fever and is insistent that the whole situation be run down to its cause.

Alberta Recognizes Three Leaders of Opposition

EDMONTON, Alta., March 29.—The $3,500 sessional indemnity hitherto paid to the leader of the official opposition in the Alberta Legislature, is now a thing of the past.

It was wiped out by unanimous agreement of the Alberta Legislature on resolution of Premier Brownlee this afternoon, and in its place, until the House rules otherwise, the recognized leader of each of the three opposition groups, Liberal, Labor and Conservative, is to receive $800 annually. An amendment to the Legislative Assembly Act making it legally possible for each leader of a group or party to accept this payment, was also introduced Monday afternoon and given its first reading.

Grandson of Baldwin Dies in Edmonton Home

EDMONTON, March 29.—Veteran of three campaigns in different parts of the world, early pioneer and railleader, Dr. H. Gardwood Baldwin, seventy-eight, collapsed suddenly and died of heart failure in his apartment at 2:30 p.m. on Monday.

A grandson of the Hon. Robert Baldwin, Premier of Upper Canada in pre-Confederation days, Dr. Baldwin was a graduate in medicine of the University of Toronto. During the Summer of 1878 he worked on the construction of the C.P.R. at Rainy River, Ontario, and commenced to practice his profession in Winnipeg in 1881.

Imperial Conference Is Not Binding, Says Prime Minister King

Review of Conference Is Presented to Parliament—Lord Byng Was Urged to Seek Advice From British Government, but Told That He Need Not Act on It When Received

B.N.A. Act Unchanged, Says Premier, But Part Has Become Obsolete and Dead

OTTAWA, March 29.—Debate on the last Imperial Conference was brought up in the House today by an amendment from Hon. Hugh Guthrie, Conservative leader. The amendment, which technically was one to a motion for the House to go into supply, declared that it was not desirable that the House should be deemed tacitly to have acquiesced in the recommendations and declarations of the Conference.

Premier King himself opened the debate. He outlined the work of the conference and the steps which led to adoption of the now famous report on inter-Imperial relations. He declared that at the conference Canada made no commitments on defence nor did the British Government make any requests with respect to action by the Dominion along that line. As Mr. King was speaking there was question of his advice to Lord Byng, that Lord Byng should consult with the British Government as to his constitutional course if asked for a dissolution. Mr. King declared he would have no objection to Lord Byng calling in Sir Robert Borden as to the proper constitutional course. Later Mr. King spoke of his action as "a chivalrous action intended to prevent the Governor-General from making the mistake which he did make."

Moving his amendment, Mr. Guthrie declared that in regard to the most of the Imperial Conference report he agreed with the Prime Minister. At the same time the report opened the door to future possibilities which might end in serious disaster.

Mr. Henri Bourassa, Independent member from Labelle, decried a colonial spirit which, he said, still existed in this country among persons who talked of the liberties of their country but were really afraid of freedom. In passing, he attacked the Premier of Quebec as one who, though he had kept the name of Liberal for his party, was really "a Tory of the Tories." Mr. Bourassa said he was sure that he was speaking for a spirit of nationalism which was growing in all parts of Canada.

Premier King's Speech

OTTAWA, March 29.—When a motion to go into supply to consider the estimates of the Department of External Affairs came before the House of Commons this afternoon, Premier King rose to make a statement respecting the Imperial Conference.

Premier King emphasized that the decisions of the Conference were not binding on the Dominion. The Canadian delegation at the preceding Conference had taken this stand and he had reiterated this position at the outset of the Conference last Fall.

"In no way has this Parliament or country been bound by decisions made by the Conference last Fall," Premier King said. He then proceeded to review in detail the constitution of the various Conference committees, to mention the problems which were placed before the delegates, and to state the methods of procedure at the main meetings.

Throughout the Conference, stated Premier King, an effort was made not to discover points of differences but points of agreement. Nothing, he said, could have been fairer or more patriotic than the attitude of the British ministers towards the representatives of the various governments from overseas.

Immigration

One of the matters discussed was that of immigration. Attention was drawn to the fact that immigration to Canada from the Old Country was not as easy a matter as it was years ago. There were not so many lands available, the cost of transportation had increased and the change in social laws in England giving assistance to certain classes had, from the point of view of certain persons, made it less desirable to emigrate. The present administration, Premier King commented, had made considerable efforts towards emigration from the Old Country, instancing the 3,000 family settlement scheme. One step which had been taken was an arrangement for the inspection of immigrants in England rather than in Canada. This obviated the risk of immigration to Canada and the immigrants being turned down after they had made the voyage, upon medical examination.

The Conference had also discussed the question of communication between the different parts of the British Empire. Canada had arrived at an agreement on the matter of cable communication, as to how future surplus funds were to be expended, and various other points of difference had been cleared up.

Defence

On the question of defence, Premier King declared that no commitment had been made on behalf of Canada with respect to defence, and no request had been made on behalf of the British Government in the matter. It was for each Dominion, through its own government and parliament, to decide what character its defence should take. "It is for this Parliament to say to what extent Canada will in all matters pertaining to defence, take part," said Premier King.

The title of the King had been changed from that of King of "the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland," in that of "King of Great Britain, Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the seas."

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Governor-General To Vote on By-Law At Polls Tomorrow

HIS Excellency Lord Willingdon, Governor-General of Canada, will exercise one of the privileges granted him when conferred the honor of freeman of the city of Victoria. At 10 o'clock tomorrow morning Lord Willingdon will be at the Public Market Building to cast his vote on the Oswego Street property by-law. He has given some study to the question since he was made a freeman on Monday and intimated to Mayor Pendray yesterday that he would vote on Thursday.

Sydney Children Form Petals of White Rose To Honor Duke of York

SYDNEY, Australia, March 29.—The White Rose of York, whose petals comprised 12,000 children, was the principal feature of the third day of the stay of the Duke and Duchess of York in the city.

It took 45,000 people an hour and a quarter to pass the dais at the town hall, where the Duke and Duchess received the citizens individually, shaking hands with each. In the van were dozens of hatless girls, who blew kisses to the Duke.

His announcement that Great Britain "is not done yet, but is on the eve of a new era of prosperity," drew salvos of cheers at the luncheon tendered him by Great War veterans.

REFUGEES MOVE FROM SHANTUNG

ALARM HAS SPREAD NORTHWARD TO DISTRICTS THREATENED WITH INVASION

Shanghai Defence Strengthened—Trouble Said to Be Brewing in Northern City

SHANGHAI, March 29.—Alarm at the growth of anti-foreign agitation in Nationalist China has spread northward to districts threatened by the Cantonese advance, and refugees are moving out of southern Shantung, Anhwei and southern Honan provinces.

Advices from Chefoo in Shantung say that all the missionaries in eastern Shantung are on their way either to Taingtao, which is on the south-eastern coast, or to that city.

The local Chinese commissioner at Changsha, on the Siang-Hiang in Hunan province, after a slight encounter between a number of Chinese and a party from the British gunboat Woodcock, today demanded withdrawal of the British warship at that Nationalist-controlled city.

The commissioner demanded also that the British sailors involved in the clash be turned over to the Chinese authorities in order that "drastic action" might be taken against them. When extraterritoriality rights further were withdrawn from all Britishers in Changsha the British authori-

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Italy to Have Nearly Three Thousand Planes

ROME, March 29.—Women will be used in Italy's aeronautical service in the future, Signor Balbo, under-secretary of state for aviation, told the Chamber of Deputies tonight during a discussion of the aeronautical budget.

The women will be used principally as the personnel of observation and signal posts along the frontier to guard against the incursion of enemy aircraft, but also will be employed in other important tasks, since "they showed their valor and ability during the world war."

By 1930, the under-secretary said, Italy will have 2,797 airplanes, of which 845 will be bombers, 1,250 chasers and 682 scouters, with a yearly budget for aeronautics of 450,000,000 lire.

Ontario Liquor Bill Passes Third Reading

TORONTO, March 29.—Late tonight the Liquor Control Bill passed third reading in the Ontario Legislature with a few minor amendments and now awaits Royal assent.

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Dr. Haden Guest Loses In Southwark Election

LONDON, March 29.—Dr. Haden Guest's stand against the Labor Party on the Chinese situation has cost him his seat in the House of Commons. He was Labor member for the North Division of Southwark, but he announced his resignation from the party when he found it was opposed to the sending of a defence force to China. This necessitated a by-election, and Dr. Guest submitted himself for re-election as an "independent constitutionalist."

The Conservative candidate, Admiral B. H. Smith, withdrew by arrangement in his favor, but the Liberal candidate, E. A. Strauss, won out when the election was held yesterday, polling 7,224 votes. George Isaac, Labor, was second with 6,169 votes, and Dr. Guest third with 3,215 votes.

London Stores Join

LONDON, March 29.—Amalgamation of two great London department stores is declared by well-informed persons to be imminent.

The establishments concerned are Selfridge & Company, Limited, and William Whitelys, Limited.

Likely to Recover

PARIS, March 29.—Countess Alice De Janze and Raymond De Trafford, member of a well-known English family, were still hovering between life and death today, although physicians announced that both had a good chance of recovery.

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WILL REPRESENT LORD'S DAY ALLIANCE IN ALBERTA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA

General Secretary of Lord's Day Alliance, on Visit Here, Makes Announcement

Rev. George G. Webber, minister of the Community United Church at Gleichen, Alberta, will be the secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance in Alberta and British Columbia, in succession to Rev. Dr. C. H. Huestis, recently appointed general secretary for Canada.

Mr. Webber has spent the last twenty years in the West, and has held several executive positions in the church and in the work of reform. He was president of the Alberta Methodist Conference some years ago, and was president of the Social Service Council for a few years in Alberta.

This appointment will be taken up on May 1, and Mr. Webber will reside either in Edmonton or Vancouver, the exact location not having been settled.

Announcement Made

Announcement was made yesterday to The Colonist by Dr. Huestis, who is registered at the Dominion Hotel, following a meeting at which the consent of the British Columbia members of the executive to the appointment was given. That approval had already been given by the Alberta executive. Decision was reached by the central organization to select Mr. Webber at a meeting of the executive of the Alliance held in Toronto on March 17, subject to the confirmation of the Alberta and British Columbia executives.

Dr. Huestis will wind up his business associations with Vancouver, where he long resided, during this visit to the Coast. He anticipates two tours each year to various parts of Canada on Lord's Day Alliance business, in the Spring and Fall. On Sunday he has accepted engagements to speak at St. Andrew's Church in the morning and the Metropolitan Church in the evening.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND LADY WILLINGDON ARE WELCOMED BY PUPILS

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Helen Mackenzie; Mayor Pendray and Mrs. Pendray; Magistrate George Jay; Lieutenant-Colonel B. W. Browne, D.S.O., M.C., aide-de-camp to the Lieutenant-Governor; Major H. Willis-O'Connor, D.S.O., and Captain the Viscount Hardinge, aides-de-camp to His Excellency; Lieutenant Roy, R.C.N., aide-de-camp to the Lieutenant-Governor; and Mr. A. M. D. Fairbairn, secretary to the Lieutenant-Governor.

Among the guests seated to the right of the platform were Dr. S. J. Willis, superintendent of education, and Mrs. Willis; Alderman William Marchant; Mr. Albert Sullivan, inspector of high schools, and Mrs. Sullivan; Trustee J. L. Beckwith; Trustee Alex. Peden and Mrs. Peden; Trustee A. G. Pike and Mrs. Pike; Trustee W. M. Walker and Mrs. Walker; Trustee H. P. Thorpe of the Saanich School Board; Mr. J. W. Gibson, principal of the Normal School; and Mr. H. F. Hewett, secretary of the Oak Bay School Board.

The first event of the programme was the singing of "O Canada" to the strains of the Navy League Band, which was under the charge of Mr. P. A. Rayner and Mr. Arthur Hodgkins, musical director.

Mr. Jay then rose and extended a loyal and hearty welcome. Yesterday, he said, His Excellency had referred to the number of school children he had seen at many points in the course of his journey to the Western coast. It would be of interest to him, then, to know that there were assembled 3,300 children of the graded schools on the grounds, 1,100 students of the Victoria High School inside the building, and 175 of the students of the Provincial Normal School.

Hopes for Further Visit

"Your Excellency's visit to this West so soon after you have assumed office," Mr. Jay continued, "may be taken as an indication that before you retire from your duties we may again have the pleasure of seeing you on this coast; and I can assure you that if we do, you will receive the same hearty and loyal welcome that we are according you this afternoon."

Then two pretty little pupils of the Girls' Central School, Lucille Wilson and Joyce McCarter, presented bouquets of beautiful flowers respectively to Lady Willingdon and Miss Helen Mackenzie, in behalf of the children of Victoria. Each little girl was rewarded with a kiss before she descended from the platform.

Lord Willingdon then rose to address the children.

"Mr. Mayor, Your Honor, my young friends," His Excellency began. "I need hardly tell you that it is a tremendous pleasure to my wife and myself to have this opportunity of meeting you young people of this part of Canada, gathered here to greet us this afternoon.

"I am getting on in years and have served the Empire for a good many of them in various parts of the world, and I may tell you that it is one of the most encouraging sights I have ever seen to see you now before us, you who are shortly to take your places in building up Canada and this great Empire to which we all belong.

"I want you to realize, in a very few words, that a great responsibility rests upon you for your country and the British Empire. I want you to remember that you have to build up this country to be a great nation. Remember that you have to foster a great national spirit and a great desire to make Canada the greatest nation in the world. And, I believe, from what I have seen of your great resources, if you all put your backs into it, I am sure that yours will become in future years one of the greatest nations in the world.

"Apart from that, you have to remember that you have not only to build up your resources, but that you are responsible to the Empire, just as much as we are who live in other parts; and you must always bear in mind the responsibility that you have got and always look forward to doing your duty wherever you may live in the future.

"There is always one thing I say—I said it this morning and I am going to say it again now—which is received with tremendous applause. And that is—I am going to ask for a general holiday on account of the visit of the Governor-General."

Suggests Holiday

He was not quite sure, Lord Willingdon continued humorously, whether the civic heads would think it proper to let all the children have a holiday at once because they might not be easy to manage. Perhaps they would arrange to give the children holidays on different days and arrange to control them on those particular occasions. At all events he was going to ask that they be given a holiday tomorrow to commemorate the visit of the Governor-General and his wife amongst them.

This announcement was greeted with enthusiastic applause from the children. When it had subsided, His Excellency continued:

"I am delighted to meet you all. I think you live in a most wonderful part of our country. I hope to have an early opportunity of visiting you again as I am singularly attracted to this part of the world. I wish you all health, strength and prosperity, and wish that you may grow up to be useful, and many of you, I hope, brilliant citizens of your country and the British Empire."

Cheers and applause marked the conclusion of the address.

Then Mr. Jay arose and announced that a full holiday would be granted. This was greeted with uproarious applause, the children laughing, cheering and hurling their caps in the air.

Then, under the leadership of Mr. H. J. Pollard, the pupils sang a verse of "Land of Hope and Glory," and, afterwards, Their Excellencies left the platform and entered the eastern door of the High School, being met at the steps by Mr. Ira Dilworth, principal of the school. The children cheered and applauded again in farewell.

Inside the building the party passed through lines of small girl students, dressed in costumes representing flowers, fairies, and so on. Through this colorful lane the visitors proceeded to the front entrance. Here Lord Willingdon left the party to inspect the cadets, 215 of whom were drawn up under the command of Captain T. R. Wheadon.

As the inspection proceeded, Major Willis-O'Connor recognized Captain Wheadon as a former comrade-in-arms whom he had last seen on the battlefields of France during the Great War.

Pose for Picture

While His Excellency walked down the ranks of the embryo soldiers, Lady Willingdon, the Lieutenant-Governor and Miss Mackenzie, Mayor Pendray and Mrs. Pendray, Magistrate George Jay and Mr. Dilworth posed for a photograph at the foot of the steps.

Then the party re-entered the building, again passing through the lines of costumed girls. In the auditorium the student body of the school stood to receive the visitors, who took seats in a section reserved for them in the front row.

Then was given a show that quite captivated the viceregal party and won enthusiastic applause from the whole audience. Their Excellencies seemed delighted at each turn and clapped vigorously as the small performers left the stage.

First, twenty-four tiny pupils—the tiniest, surely—of the Bank Street School, trained by Miss Nellie Dill, sang a series of Mother Goose rhymes as they executed the figures of an intricate drill and dance. The performers were: Kathleen Riley, Maurice Braithwaite, Joy Masters, George King, Sybil Holyoak, Kenneth Robinson, Aileen Sandiford, Bobby Delidal, June Thorne, Sydney Fisher, Audrey Morrison, Francis Robinson, Glyn Lewis, Aileen Wilkinson, Billy Dunaway, Thelma Dopp, Gilbert Milnes, Ollie McCrimmon, Bobby Leason, Phyllis Dodsworth, Lloyd Armour, Margaret Davis, Rex Hundleby and Dorothy Glover.

Then twelve girls of the South Park School, trained by Miss Kezia Behl, danced an Italian folk dance, the Tarantella. Costumed in red and green and black, the girls presented a pretty picture as they whirled about on the stage. The performers were: Evelyn Williamson, Alexe McQuarrie, Esme Giolma, Olive Turner, Aileen Burnett, Deanie Cameron, Kathleen White, Kathryn Appleyard, Irene White, Ethel Saunders, Joyce Appleyard and Pauleen Mountain.

Thirty Boys Sing

Next thirty boys of the Boys' Central School, under the baton of Mr. Ernest Butterworth, principal of the school, sang a three-part song, "Stars of the Summer Night," with skill and sweetness. The song is a composition of Mr. Butterworth's brother, Mr. H. Butterworth, Rochdale, Lancashire.

A "Dolls' Dance" was executed by seven girls of the Burnside School, with little Phyllis Addison, a dainty and accomplished prima ballerina, in the role of a fairy. Pirouetting in a clever toe-dance, Phyllis brought each of the rigid, pink and white-dressed dolls to life with a touch of her magic wand; and as she left the stage the dolls began their amusing little dance of seeming automata. The dolls were Grace Robertson, Edith Obee, Honor Deigan, Marguerite Rich, Bessie Davidson, Ina Purves and Marion Walton.

Miss Gaby Marshall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Marshall, and a pupil of the George Jay School, then danced an exquisite pas seul. In an Early Victorian costume of orange and black, Gaby danced slowly on to the stage on her tiny toes with an enormous hat box held gracefully in her hand. Unable to resist the temptation to inspect the contents of her hat box, the little midinette paused, opened her parcel and withdrew a pretty poke bonnet. This she tried on, posing as if admiring herself in an imaginary mirror. Then she danced gleefully about her hat box, reluctantly replaced the bonnet and left the stage amid prolonged applause, entailing two curtain calls.

Then about sixty members of the Victoria High School Girls' Choir, dressed alike in black and white middy blouses, very prettily sang "The Carnival," under the conductorship of Mr. G. Jennings Burnett.

The performance over, Magistrate Jay announced the intention to give the whole of today as a holiday. The intimation was greeted with a tremendous outburst of applause from the students.

"Good-bye!" exclaimed Lady Willingdon, and "I hope you enjoy your holiday," said Lord Willingdon to the students nearest them as they turned into the aisle leading to the door.

Visit Gymnasium

The viceregal party next visited the gymnasium, where Miss B. Rice directed a class of twenty-four girls in a very cleverly done drill and dance.

Leaving the gymnasium, Their Excellencies proceeded to the principal's office, where Dr. and Mrs. Willis, Inspector and Mrs. Sullivan and Mr. Gibson were presented to them and where they signed the visitors' book.

The ceremony over, the viceregal party entered motor cars and drove away after leaving two delighted girls in possession of their autographs.

Saanich was represented by about 200 students in the huge assemblage on the grounds and in the building. Mr. T. W. Hall, principal of the George Jay School, had charge of the organization on the campus, and Mr. W. H. Muncy, principal of the Quadra Street School, of the arrangements inside the building.

Large, Red Pimples Covered Her Face

Miss Mable Moore, Blenheim, Ont., writes:—"A short while ago my face was covered with large, red pimples. I tried several remedies, but all failed. At last a friend advised me to take

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SILENT CONSENT NOT DESIRABLE

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the opinion that all the approval Parliament was required to give had been given by the Prime Minister's support of the motion to carry the report at the conclusion of the Conference. "I must dissent from that position," said Mr. Guthrie.

The danger was, he continued, unless Parliament took some action now as time went on it would be taken that Parliament had acquiesced. In the remarks he had to offer, he said he would have no regard for party matters, but only for the future well being of Canada.

After stating that he heartily agreed with the greater part of the report, the Conservative leader declared, however, that the report opened the door to possibilities which might end in serious disaster.

The reports of the previous Imperial Conferences faded into insignificance when compared with the Conference of 1926. So varied and so diversified had been the statements by those who had participated as to what was actually done, the public had no clear idea of what really was accomplished.

Conflicting Statements

Premier Bruce of Australia had said there was "nothing really new in the status of the Dominions." Premier King had said he believed the work of the Conference would "take its place in history beside those charters which stood for larger freedom," while Premier Hertzog, South Africa, had said that the British Empire existed now only in name.

He proceeded to deal with the outstanding features of the Conference report. The phrases "autonomous communities," "equal status," and "subject to no compulsion," were all clear, definite and precise, he said.

Regarding appeal to the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, he interpreted the report of the Conference to mean that if it be the will of the Parliament of Canada to prohibit these appeals to the Privy Council, Parliament would prevail. He was not in favor of abolition of the appeals and declared the right to appeal to the Privy Council was perhaps "our greatest constitutional safeguard in this country."

REFUGEES MOVE FROM SHANTUNG

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ties ordered the evacuation of their nationals from that city.

While additional refugees from various sections of central China, including Hankow, continued to flock today to Shanghai and the coast seeking safety from the anti-foreign campaign, the defence of the foreign settlement in Shanghai was further coordinated today.

Major-General John Duncan, commander of the British defence force, visited Captain Uyematsu, commander of the Japanese marines force, and discussed the general situation as to defence of the international zones.

In North China

LONDON, March 29.—Information has reached the Ankuochun headquarters in Peking indicating that a serious plot is brewing to demonstrate against the foreign concessions in Tientsin, important city of the north, says a Peking dispatch to The Westminster Gazette.

The dispatch adds that it was proposed to consult the various legations on concerted action for the protection of foreigners and that Chang Tso-Lin, the Manchurian war lord, has stated that he would do everything in his power to protect the foreigners.

Baby Clinic Visited By Lady Willingdon

As honorary president of the Victorian Order of Nurses in Canada, Lady Willingdon yesterday afternoon paid a visit to the City Health Office to see something of the operation of the baby clinic which is conducted there every Wednesday by the local V.O.N. and Dr. A. G. Price, the city medical health officer.

Arriving at 3:45 o'clock, Lady Willingdon, accompanied by Miss Helen Mackenzie, was met at the threshold by His Worship Mayor Pendray, who presented Mrs. H. G. Lawson, the president of the Victoria branch of the Victorian Order, who conducted her through the receiving and dressing-room, already filled with babies and their mothers, to the examination-room, where the full V.O.N. executive waited. Here, at the hands of Peggy and Dorothy Fynn, the winsome three-year-old twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Fynn, Her Excellency received two souvenirs of the occasion in the form of a corsage bouquet of pink roses, lilies-of-the-valley and violets, and a hand-colored photograph of the two young ladies themselves, who are splendid examples of V.O.N. babies.

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ARMY DISCIPLINE MOTION DEFEATED

Proposal to Abolish Death Penalty for Cowardice Is Voted Down by Commons

LONDON, March 29.—A motion by the Laborites which would abolish the death penalty in cases of cowardice in the army, was rejected after debate in the House of Commons this evening by a vote of 289 to 124. The motion was put forward in committee stage on the army and air force annual estimates. It did not provide for abolition of the penalty in cases of treachery or desertion to the enemy.

Mr. Ernest Thurtle, Labor, Shoreditch, in supporting the proposal, insinuated the Australians, whom he described as the best shock troops in the whole British army. The death penalty was never applied to them, he said.

Colonel Lambert Ward, Conservative, Northwest Hull, who fought alongside the Australians for a very considerable time, in reply to Mr. Thurtle, said that the Australians had had their failures the same as the British, but they had their own ways of keeping weaklings to their duty. If any man was giving trouble he was sent over the top to do "wiring" night after night until he stopped giving trouble, Colonel Ward said. He declared he had seen written orders issued to Australian machine gun posts that if a man left his post he would be shot on the spot.

Captain King, speaking for the War Office, pointed out that the committee established by the Government of Mr. Ramsay MacDonald to deal with this subject, considered that in certain cases the death penalty was effective where penal servitude or imprisonment would be of little effect.

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C.N.R. Bill Passes

OTTAWA, March 29.—The fifteen bills comprising the Canadian National Railway's branch line construction programme for the next three years were given third reading in the Senate this afternoon and now go for royal assent.

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E. & N. LUMBER RATES REDUCED

ISLAND RAILWAY'S CHANGE OF TARIFF FACILITATES OCEAN TRADE

Chamber of Commerce Is Now Pressing for Interswitching on Industrial Reserve

The Chamber of Commerce is gradually reaching its objective in the matter of making this port an important one in the matter of lumber shipments by water to the markets of the world. A decided advance in this direction was made known to the Chamber yesterday when the announcement was received from the C.P.R. of a reduced tariff on shipments of lumber from points along the line of the E. & N. to Victoria.

The reduction which the C.P.R. has made in this line is all the more appreciated in view of the fact that that company had already established between the Island and the Mainland its own system of transportation by car ferry.

Further Step Taken

Another step, which is included in the programme in hand is that of having the interchange of traffic, especially that of lumber, made possible between the C.N.R. and the E. & N. on the Industrial Reserve. This is absolutely necessary in the opinion of the members of the Chamber if the full benefits to be derived from the reduction in freight rates on lumber shipments over the E. & N. is to be taken advantage of in an export way. Without this, the transfer of the lumber from the E. & N. terminals by truck would have to be resorted to, it is pointed out.

The negotiations are progressing looking for the providing of the interswitching privileges and facilities.

Facilities at Piers

Facilities exist at the Ogden Point Piers for the transfer by barge from the Point Ellice slips on the C.N.R. line so that with common access to the Inner Harbor transfer slips there will be every opportunity for the assembling of lumber in loads at the ocean docks of the port. This is the end that is aimed at.

Among the new rates that have been been announced by the C.P.R. over the E. & N. lines are the following:

Cobble Hill, 7c; Duncan, 9c; Hilliers, 13½c; Ladysmith, 8½c; Lake Cowichan, 10c; Qualicum Beach, 12c; Sathlam, 10c; Shawnigan, 7c; Tansor, 10c; Tyee, 9c; Wellington, 12c; Westholme, 9c; Wheatley, 10c.

The former rates, with the mileage in each case, were as follows:

Courtenay, 140 miles, 14c; Great Central, 141.5 miles, 22c; Union Bay, 130.2 miles, 21c; Bainbridge, 127.2 miles, 15c; Port Alberni, 134.2 miles, 14c; Bowser, 114.5 miles, 21c; Qualicum, 101.8 miles, 12c; Nanaimo, 72.5 miles, 11½c; Chemainus, 51.2 miles, 8½c; Ladysmith, 58.4 miles, 8½c; Sathlam, 50.6 miles, 14c; Tyee, 44.4 miles, 13c; Cobble Hill, 31.2 miles, 10½c; Shawnigan, 27.8 miles, 9c.

WHITE MEN IN MALAY STATES ARE DEFENDED

Mr. A. Brodie Sanders Denies Charge of Loose Living in Far East

"I hope you will use your influence in ending these wild and untruthful statements about the white men in the Malay States, for there are in the Far East as fine a body of men as you can find anywhere," stated Mr. A. Brodie Sanders, of Victoria, during an address yesterday before members of the Victoria Kiwanis Club in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium, on the theme, "Malaya."

Mr. Sanders, who spent a number of years in Malaya as an advocate of the Supreme Court, and is familiar with conditions in the Malay States, vigorously denied suggestion of loose living among the white supervisors of rubber plantations, or other great industries under British control.

The speaker read a letter which he had received from Dean Quainton, in which the dean states that he had discovered that the statement by Stanley Jones in the book, "The Christ of the Indian Road," regarding the habits of the European planters in Malaya, was inaccurate.

An outline of the history and development of the Malaya was graphically given by Mr. Sanders, who described it as a most colorful land, with four different nations living side by side, in perfect harmony and contentment.

Mr. Sanders declared that fifty years ago Malaya was simply a dense and hopeless jungle, while today it was a rich country. The exports were now $750,000,000 per year, which was greater per head of population than any other country in the world, he said.

The Government is a Crown Colony and is quick to act on representations by minorities. Fine highways, traversing hundreds of miles of almost unpopulated territory, and profitable railroads have been constructed. The people are intensely loyal to the British Government. Prior to the Great War the Sultans voluntarily subscribed the cost of the battleship Malaya, the largest one afloat when built, as a free gift to the British Navy.

"It is this work in Malaya and India which some people think we ought to abandon. There are in India nearly 200 different languages. If we withdrew India would split up into at least 100 groups. It would be a crime if we were to abandon those people," said Mr. Sanders.

Gooderham & Worts Are to Be Investigated

TORONTO, March 29.—Investigation of the Toronto distilling firm of Gooderham & Worts was opened before the Royal Commission on Customs this morning. Before calling H. Hatch, president and general manager of this company, R. L. Calder, K.C., counsel for the Commission, stated that the investigation would revolve around the question of sales tax on shipments of liquor ostensibly to the United States.

Montreal District Must Have Clean-Up in Dairies

MONTREAL, March 29.—Over seven thousand people have been inoculated at the office of an insurance company here as protection against typhoid fever, which is still raging in this city. The company has placed its medical staff and the serum at the disposal of any who desire to take advantage of them free. Today the company inaugurated a system of vaccinating workers in factories. Another free clinic will be opened this afternoon in the city hall. Work was being rushed today on a third emergency hospital for the care of patients. It is hoped to be able to open it tonight.

A staff of doctors and nurses are ready to receive cases.

In a statement on the imposition of an embargo against milk and cream coming from this district by the United States, Albert Halstead, consul-general, said:

"Concern about the sanitary condition in some of the Quebec dairies has been felt for some time and the order will not likely be lifted until steps have been taken to insure the quality of the milk and cream being imported from Montreal into the United States."

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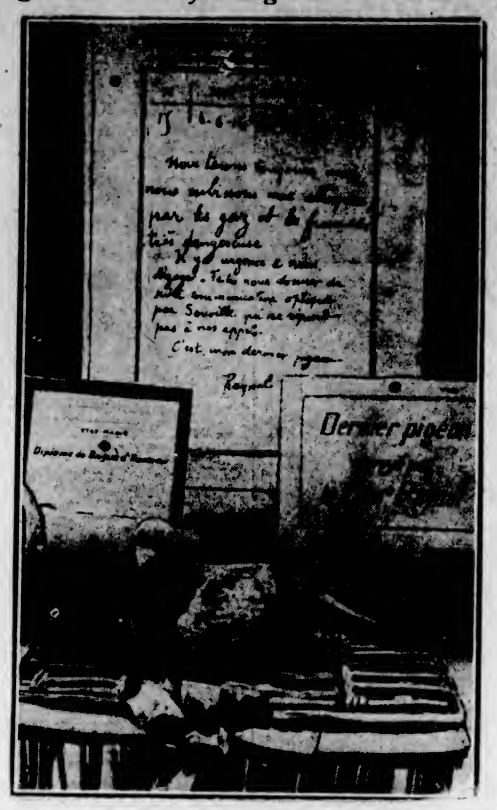

This is the pigeon whose courage and devotion to duty saved Fort Vaux and the whole ring of fortifications on which depended the fate of Verdun—and perhaps of all France—during the Great War. The message which it carried through the pall of gas and high explosive smoke and which brought relief to Major Raynal, the commander at Fort Vaux, in 1916, is reproduced above. It reads: "Nous tenons toujours mais nous subissons une attaque par les gaz et les fumees tres dangereuse. Ily a urgence a nous degager. Faites nous donner de suite communication optique par Souville qui ne repond pas a nos appels. C'est mon dernier pigeon. Raynal."

Three Victoria Lawyers Chosen 1927 Benchers

THREE Victoria lawyers, Messrs. H. A. Maclean, K.C.; Lindley Crease, K.C., and William C. Moresby, the latter being president of the Victoria Bar Association, have been elected Benchers of the Law Society of British Columbia for 1927.

The other Benchers elected this week were Messrs. W. J. Whiteside, K.C.; C. R. Hamilton, K.C.; Harold B. Robertson, K.C.; W. E. Burns; C. W. Craig, K.C.; R. L. Reid, K.C.; A. H. MacNeill, K.C.; Douglas Armour, K.C., and A. M. Whiteside.

DAMAGES AWARDED IN SUM OF $1,115

Thomas Hughes Wins Action Against Frank Beban Lumber Company

Damages of $1,115 were awarded plaintiff by a special jury of eight men yesterday in the lawsuit brought in Supreme Court here by Thomas Hughes against the Frank Beban Lumber Company and Frank Beban, for alleged trespass and removal of timber from his forty acres of land near Cassidy, between Ladysmith and Nanaimo.

The suit was a common law action for trespass and, in the alternative, damages for conversion of plaintiff's timber by the defendants to the use and benefit of the defendants. The plaintiff sought damages of $12,372.04.

The trial opened on Monday morning before Mr. Justice Morrison and a special jury comprised of Mr. T. O. Mackay (foreman), and Messrs. Perl Fleming, Ernest G. Maynard, George P. Player, David S. Spencer, H. E. Newton, Hubert Lethaby and W. S. Norrington.

Mr. J. W. de B. Farris, K.C., and Mr. J. A. Campbell, both of Vancouver, appeared for the plaintiff Hughes, and Mr. H. A. Maclean, K.C., for the defendants.

Indians at Ottawa

OTTAWA, March 29.—John Chillichitsa, self-styled chief of all the interior tribes of Indians in British Columbia and the last representative of an ancient line of aboriginal royalty, is in Ottawa today along with three other lesser chiefs to see the Government.

"Chief Johnnie," as he is called, is eighty years of age.

According to the chiefs, the Indians in certain districts of British Columbia have been unfairly treated in connection with titles to property and to hunting and fishing rights.

Leechtown, Old Gold Centre, Will Be Marked

Members of the British Columbia Historical Association will place a suitably engraved tablet on the site of the former gold centre, Leechtown, which was in its prime about the year 1864. The last of the wooden buildings erected by hardy adventurers who panned the Leech River for gold have disappeared, few relics remaining of the once busy centre.

Several old photographs have been received by Mr. John Hosie, Provincial librarian, from the British Colonial Office and will be enlarged and hung in the library, forming an important link in the history of Vancouver Island.

Jugo-Slav Government Complains of Italy

PARIS, March 29.—The Jugo-Slav Government, a Havas dispatch from Belgrade says, is reported to have advised the foreign ministers of the Great Powers that according to news received from Albania the situation there is grave, with mobilization continuing actively, "under direction of Italian officers."

It is understood, the dispatch adds, that the Belgrade Government had agreed to all the suggestions of the powers on the subject of an investigation into the situation along the Jugo-Slav-Albanian frontier. In view of the repugnance of Italy to a commission of inquiry, it is thought possible that the whole question brought to a head by Italy's allegation that Jugo-Slavia was mobilizing on the Albanian frontier, will be settled directly between Rome and Belgrade.

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WHARF EXTENSIONS

The statement that the Canadian Pacific Railway Company intends to spend from $25,000 to $30,000 in improving waterfront facilities in the event of the Oswego Street by-law being approved by the property owners should act as a strong incentive to the overwhelming endorsement of the measure to be voted upon tomorrow. The company has already spent $18,000 in purchasing property which is to be transferred to the J.B.A.A. for its headquarters under conditions which will do away with the structure on James Bay. Thus, in all, its outlay will be well over $40,000 and such an expenditure is an earnest of the need which the company considers exists for wharf extensions. In addition it is pointed out that the C.P.R. is not securing the Oswego Street lot as a gift in the event of the by-law being passed. On the contrary a heavy rental will have to be paid to the Dominion Government for the use of the waterfrontage. In reality the C.P.R. will simply have a lease of this waterfrontage, and so long as it is used for commercial purposes a yearly rental must be paid.

The Oswego Street by-law is being submitted to the property owners because the City Council believes its passage is in their interest. What is being done is not being done through the initiative of the C.P.R., though naturally that company is prepared to cooperate with the citizens, as it always has been, in bringing about improvements. In fact the lion's share of the co-operation is on the part of the company for the citizens lose nothing that they have put to any serviceable purpose, whereas they gain in the establishment of improved traffic facilities, and, incidentally, in the enhancement of the appearance of the waterfront.

The property owners can be relied upon to give a substantial majority to the by-law. The Canadian Pacific Railway Company has always shown a staunch interest in the city's development and should be accorded the heartiest encouragement in its task, because it has already done so much and has so many projects for advancement in prospect. It will be an earnest of our citizens' appreciation of the company's faith in Victoria if the by-law is carried by an overwhelming majority, as we have every reason to believe that it will be.

EDUCATIONAL FAILURES

In a report on the work of the vocational and technical education in this Province, as appearing in a Federal Department of Labor pamphlet on the subject, attention is drawn to the high percentage of failures in British Columbia in the first year university course. It is pointed out, moreover, that the same may be said of a large proportion of the first year high school students. From this it is inferred by technical education authorities that misguided principles are being applied in academic training. Since that is supposed to be the case a plea is made that greater attention should be paid to courses of a purely industrial nature, and this probably constitutes an argument to show that our university is being overcrowded and could very well be pruned of the misfits, who, under a scheme of governmental benevolence, are enabled to enter the institution at Point Grey.

There is a growing problem in connection with university work which will eventually resolve itself into more careful determination being employed to ascertain those who are best suited for a university education. As it is much of the money of the taxpayers is being wasted in providing accommodation, instruction and equipment for those whom university life often enough fails to benefit. This is one of the handicaps of a state university. It is a handicap also in connection with high school education. The argument advanced by technical education authorities is perhaps a prejudiced one, inasmuch as it is designed to increase the facilities within their own sphere of education, but it is a more serious question than that because technical education itself from the standpoint of purely practical results is also open to criticism. There is this, however, to be said about technical education and that is that latterly an effort is being made to ascertain what its practical results are. These will be more easily determined now that, under the course of apprenticeship adopted by the Building Trades Association of Greater Vancouver, the indentured boy is to attend technical classes so as to study the theoritical side of his work. The apprenticeship system is the only system in many trades through which good workmen can be produced. There is a keener realization all the time that it must be reverted to, for purely theoretical technical education has failed to supply its place. The two go together.

The problem of so many failures in the first year at both the university and and in high schools is one which our educational authorities should investigate. Where a state university is established entrance is secured too easily, and that probably is as much the reason as anything else whey there should be so many first year failures. In the case of the high schools the first year failures are probably accounted for by the fact that so many pupils enter the high school in order to get whatever benefits may accrue while completing the school age. Whatever the reasons are the number of failures is attended by a proportionate expense to the taxpayers and constitutes a reason why the cost of education is continually growing. In drawing attention to the conditions that exist the technical education authorities of this Province have rendered a service, apart from their reason for doing so. There should, for one thing, be a stiffening of the tests through which pupils have to pass both for entrance to the high school and to the University of British Columbia.

NEWSPAPER FELLOWSHIPS

There is now a British Committee of founded in memory of the late Walter Hines Page, and there is a reciprocity in such fellowships as between Britain and the United States. The first holder of the Junior Fellowship, Mr. T. E. E. Cadett, is now spending a year travelling extensively through the United States. The Senior Fellowship has been offered to Mr. J. A. Spender, who has accepted. Mr. Spender will visit the United States in the Autumn for three months as the guest of the American Committee, attending conferences with newspaper proprietors and addressing meetings of newspapermen. In a short time American journalists in their turn will visit Britain as holders of Fellowships. The London Times has already offered £500 to found a Junior Fellowship for one year, and the holder will be appointed by the American Committee and subsequently attached for his term to leading newspapers in the British Isles.

The value of Newspaper Fellowships could be greatly enhanced if the practice extended throughout the Empire. They are effective in promoting a union of friendship among the English-speaking peoples, but should be extended to embrace all the Dominions of the Empire. It is more necessary that the peoples of this Empire should understand one another than that there should be a similar understanding between the people of Britain and those of the United States. The subject is one which should engage the attention of the next Imperial Press Conference.

A Toronto investigator has discovered that people are in their most dangerous state during change of moon and low atmospheric pressure. If this diagnosis is correct, it is one that has been overlooked altogether by scientists and others who have sat on lunacy commissions. The investigator in question has made his observations during several years, and in confirmation he alludes to two recent double tragedies in Toronto, the first of which occurred the afternoon of a full moon and the second when the mercury was descending rapidly. In another storm, he says, there were three suicides in Toronto. It is a fact that living creatures, including human beings, are generally in their wildest state for a period just before a storm, and it is urged that there should be further investigations, and warnings issued in this regard. It is, however, not comforting to learn that when there is high atmospheric pressure most sudden deaths result, so that humanity continues to be ground between the upper and nether millstones.

Professor Stephen Leacock believes that a four-hour day for work is sufficient. Think, however, of how many would be deprived of the products of his wit and humor if he himself only worked that period, to say nothing of how the students of McGill University would be forced to neglect their studies under curtailed tuition. Professor Leacock is the humorist still, even when dealing with subjects of political economy.

In the recent elections in Natal the dominant issue was the Flag Bill, which has aroused so much controversy in South Africa. The elections resulted in a sweeping victory for the South Africa Party. There was no question about the tide of public opinion. In the new Council Labor has one representative and the Nationalists two.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., March 29, 1927.

TEMPERATURES

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	46	56
Vancouver	34	54
Kamloops	28	52
Barkerville	20	42
Prince Rupert	44	46
Estevan	42	50
Dawson, Y.T.	18	24
Portland, Ore.	42	68
San Francisco, Cal.	50	60
Seattle	40	54
Spokane	30	58
Penticton	28	61
Vernon	27	51
Grand Forks	28	56
Nelson	28	51
Kaslo	31	50
Calgary	18	54
Edmonton	28	48
Swift Current	28	40
Prince Albert	22	40
Qu'Appelle	26	34
Winnipeg	32	38

FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Fresh to strong southerly winds, becoming unsettled with rain.

Vancouver and Vicinity—South and west winds; unsettled with rain.

WEDNESDAY

Maximum	56
Minimum	40
Average	48
Minimum on the grass	34

Bright sunshine: 2 hours, 12 minutes.

General state of the weather, fair.

A.P.M. Weather Reports

Victoria—Barometer, 30.09, wind, S., 6 miles, fair.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.04, wind, N., 6 miles, fair.

Kamloops — Barometer, 28.80, calm, cloudy.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.06, calm, cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.54, wind, S.W., 24 miles, raining.

Estevan—Barometer, 30.10, wind, N.W., 4 miles, cloudy.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.08, wind, W., 4 miles, clear.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.02, wind, N.W., 4 miles, fair.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.00, wind, N.W., 4 miles, fair.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.90, wind, N., 4 miles, clear.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

Mr. Punch, although he is a jolly old gentleman and occasionally expresses somewhat radical views, is very conservative in his opinions about the rights of property. If any one of his sober-sided and sedate-minded contemporaries in a moment of absent-mindedness (let us say) appropriates any of the good things that Mr. Punch says (and he says more really good things and a greater variety of rich things than any other public character in the English-speaking world) the jolly and jocose old gentleman always hears about it and tells the thief what he thinks about it.

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We remember one occasion publishing some verses in The Colonist. The verses appeared to us to be very good and extremely interesting and as they appeared in a contemporary without credit, according to mere newspaper parlance, we thought they could be printed without offence, that is to say, without infringement of copyright. A month or so afterwards the business office of The Colonist received a bill from Mr. Punch demanding a certain sum in sterling for the use of his property.

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We were extremely careful not to inquire into the nature of the arrangement the business office effected with Mr. Punch. But we have often wondered how Mr. Punch found out that The Colonist had published the verses without first securing permission to do it. Does the vigilant old gentleman scrutinize every newspaper published in the English-speaking part of the world and demand indemnities for the unauthorized use of every poem and every joke that he prints? Has he, like the British Empire which he represents in a purely humorous capacity, agents in every part of the globe to keep him informed about everything that is going on and about everything that is being done?

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Almost every week we see cartoons and poems and jokes from Punch reprinted in newspapers and magazines "with the permission of the proprietors." Almost every week we see cartoons and poems and jokes in Punch we would like to reprint without or with the permission of the proprietors, but experience has taught us a lesson, and we hesitate and meditate about the propriety of reprinting such good things. But the last issue of Punch contained something so rich and so apropos of the condition of affairs in England and the world at large that we are going to take a chance.

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In the last issue of Punch, then, there is a picture of a politician on a platform addressing a few gentleman who seem to be deeply interested in political affairs. We are not sure whether the orator is a Liberal, a Conservative, a Socialist, a Laborite, a Communist, or merely a Bolshevik. If we had the permission of the proprietors to reproduce the cartoon, the reader might form his own conclusions, but we dare not do that lest the consequences should be too serious for our own proprietors. In the course of his speech the orator lifted up his voice in song, and here is the song he sang:

"For I myself have said it,
And it's much to my discredit,
That I am an Englishman.

O, I wish I'd been a Rooshian,
Or French or Turk or Proosian,
Or perhaps a Chinaman.

But despite my aspirations
To belong to other nations
I remain an Englishman."

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If there are any Englishmen in Victoria and in the large constituency outside of Victoria through which The Colonist circulates (and we understand there are a few Englishmen here in addition to those who left Liverpool in their own interests as well as in the interests of the city) they will detect something that is not altogether new in the words sung by the platform orator. In fact, we believe if they attend the Royal Victoria Theatre towards the week-end they will hear the original words sung to a tune composed by a gentleman named Sullivan, which will prove that even Mr. Punch himself is not so high and mighty as to be above appropriating an extremely good thing to his own uses. Then if Mr. Punch sends The Colonist another little bill we shall have a multitude of witnesses to testify in our behalf.

It is said that when the cat is away the mice will play. Look at what the Government of British Columbia has gone and done in the absence of the Premier. On the floor of the Legislature the Leader of the Government opposed the compulsory feature of the Superannuation Bill affecting municipalities; but the compulsory feature of the bill was adopted notwithstanding the opposition of the Leader of the House and of the Government. When the back of the Premier was turned the Government with a sweeping gesture brought all the municipalities within the provisions of the compulsory feature of the Superannuation Act.

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The Premier may find when he comes back after consulting Ottawa, and obtaining nothing as a result of his consultations, that the Government by another sweeping gesture has extended the principles of the Minimum Wage Act and the Maximum Number of Working Hours Act, and of all the other Acts it can think of, to cover every industry (including the agricultural industry). The Premier even may find when he comes back that the Government has adopted a measure guaranteeing a minimum of profit to every industry and business within the Province.

The Rhyming Optimist

By Aline Michaels

There was a kindly message sent
that never reached your ear; who
knows how much it might have meant
in making life more dear? There
was a friend whose love you lost, one
day so long ago . . . and ah! the
grief and tears it cost that friend could
never know! There was a goal you
could not gain, although you bravely
fought; a height your hopes could not
attain, a work you never wrought.
But cease your grief and cast aside
the sorrows of the years; let them go
out on time's swift tide, these vain
regrets and tears. Be sure you will
regain your friend, your perfect task
be wrought, and some day far-off
years will send all things you long
have sought. For all the wearing cares
you know the future will repay, and
all these griefs that vex you so will
fade, will pass . . . . some day!

Fortune's Wheel

GUELPH, Ont., March 29.—Seventy-seven years old and stone blind for over twenty-five years, Archibald Jackson may come into a fortune of $40,000 after a lifetime of wresting a living from his farm near here.

It is believed Mr. Jackson is a brother of George L. Jackson, seventy-nine, who died in Jerome, Arizona, last week. Executors of his estate are inquiring of local authorities of news of relatives.

BLOSSOM TIME

A vista this from Fairyland—
How now, an urban street!
Lithe, billowy branches overhead
With joyousness replete!

Like elfin raiment wrought of pearl,
Soft lilliputian wings
Come drifting down upon the breeze,
In perfume-laden rings.

Spring sallies forth in vernal robes
Of ivory petals; pure
As is the virgin bride adorned—
Sweet, pensive and demure.

She hails the blithesome birds anon—
And who so gay as these,
That carol from among the boughs,
Love-laden melodies?

Here, early flits the butterfly
Clad in new armor bright;
Here, too, the bees are first abroad
Proclaiming their delight.

Elysian fragrance wafts withal
From out these vernal bowers,
Where may the pilgrim heart rejoice
In solitary hours.

Henceforth, I know there will abide
This vision fair to see,
Where, though wan Winter days prevail,
'Tis blossom time for me!

—Jean Valdez.

Victoria, B.C., March 28, 1927.

(The above lines were written after seeing the fairy-like effect produced by the blossoming Prunus Pissardii (Japanese plum) which line the boulevards on either side of Burdett Avenue. These, to be most appreciated, should be viewed when walking eastward. There is nothing more beautiful in the realm of landscape gardening at this season of the year. —J.V.)

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist, March 30, 1877)

A Woolen Mill—A deputation of gentlemen waited on the Premier yesterday to submit their views relative to the establishment of a woolen mill and factory in this Province, and to solicit such countenance and aid for the project as the Government may see fit to extend. The Premier received the deputation cordially, and expressed his entire sympathy with the enterprise.

Accident to the Governor-General—The Governor-General met with a serious accident on the 16th of March, when about to enter Topley's photographic studio at Ottawa. His Excellency was much shaken, and sprained his ankle. His carriage was in attendance, and he was shortly afterwards driven home.

Good Friday—This day will be observed by a general abstention from business and holding religious services at the various churches.

Favorite Hymns and Their Writers

By REV. ARTHUR WALLACE

"Awake My Soul, and With the Sun"

Bishop Thomas Ken, the author of this hymn, was born in 1637, and died in 1711, so lived during one of the most troubled periods of English history. His mother, who was the daughter of a poet, died which he was a young child, so that the future hymn writer was brought up by his brother-in-law, that famous Angler—Izaak Walton. Ken owed a great deal to the gentle, refining influence of Walton, who was many years his senior. He was sent to Winchester school—where his name may still be seen carved in the stone pillars—and later to New College, Oxford. There he gained a fellowship and became a tutor. He was greatly interested in the religious life of the scholars under his care at Winchester and for them he composed a manuel of devotional exercises.

Devout Scholars

It was for these boys that Ken wrote among other hymns, "Awake, My Soul, and With the Sun," and "Glory to Thee, My God, This Night." In the manuel of prayers, composed in 1674, the scholars are directed to "Be sure to sing the morning and evening hymns in your chamber devoutly." Thus these two universal favorites were sung by Winchester scholars for twenty years before they were published in printed form in 1692.

In 1679 Ken was appointed by King Charles II chaplain to his niece, who was the wife of the Prince of Orange. While at The Hague he was so outspoken in his rebuke of some phases of the court life that he left and became a chaplain to Charles II in 1680.

It is interesting to know that the King, whose court was as corrupt as it well could be, was extremely fond of his outspoken chaplain. In 1683 Ken was at Winchester when a visit was paid by King Charles and his doubtfully composed court. He requested the use of Ken's house for the notorious Nell Gwynne, but Ken indignantly refused. "Not for the King's Kingdom," was his decisive answer.

A King's Respect

In 1684 the Bishopric of Bath and Wells became vacant, and although there were many aspirants King Charles said, "Where is the good little man who would not give poor Nell a lodging? He and no other shall be bishop! I want a man who dares to tell me my faults." When some time later Charles was dying he sent for Thomas Ken and for three days the good bishop seldom left his bedside. Ken was one of the seven bishops who vigorously opposed the "Declaration of Indulgence," issued by King James II, and with the others was committed to the tower. The dramatic release of the seven bishops is well known, and is a thrilling chapter of English history.

Ken continued to make valuable contributions to hymnology, but his best known are the two already mentioned and his great doxology: "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow." He was buried at sunrise in the churchyard at Frome, and the mourners at the grave sang his famous morning hymn, "Awake, My Soul, and With the Sun."

PRESIDENT WILL GO TO MEMPHIS

Kiwanis Club Appoints Mr. Harold Diggon as Convention Delegate—J.B.A.A. By-Law Endorsed

Victoria Kiwanians will be represented at the annual international Kiwanis convention next June in Memphis, Tenn., by its president, Mr. Harold M. Diggon. At the club meeting yesterday, on motion of Kiwanians Walter W. Walker and William G. Crawford, Mr. Diggon was appointed official delegate.

The Kiwanis Club unanimously went on record supporting the by-law which will result in the demolition of the old James Bay Athletic Association building on the Inner Harbor waterfront. The motion that the organization endorse the measure was sponsored by Kiwanians B. C. Nicholas and Dave C. Macfarlane, after a short address was given by Mr. William N. Kennedy. The by-law will be voted on tomorrow at the Market Building by the taxpayers.

On April 26, the Kiwanis Club will sponsor Madame Cedia Brault, of the Metropolitan Grand Opera Company, and will be assisted in this endeavor by the Ladies' Musical Club. In May, the University Players of British Columbia will be here, under Kiwanis auspices, with "The Romantic Young Lady."

Mr. Albert Parker, of the Victoria Bed and Mattress Company, Limited, was welcomed to the Kiwanis ranks by the membership, and officially installed by Kiwanian Fred H. Hewlings.

Mr. Harold A. Beckwith enlisted the support of the Kiwanians to the forthcoming Musical Festival here. The festival will extend over three days, and sessions will be held in the Knights of Pythias Hall and the First United Church.

British Wounded in China To Be Brought to B.C.

VANCOUVER, March 29.—Preparations are being made here at the Shaughnessy Military Hospital, at the behest of the British War Council, to care for a possible maximum of 250 convalescent soldiers from the trouble zone in China. The request of the British authorities that Canada make provision to care for wounded and others rendered physically unfit for service as a consequence of military activities in the Orient was made two weeks ago. Since that time official circles in Ottawa have been moving quietly to the desired end.

France Has Better Than Balance in Her Budget

PARIS, March 29.—The receipts of the French treasury exceeded expenditures by a billion francs during 1926, Deputy Chappedelaine, budget reporter, informed the Chamber of Deputies.

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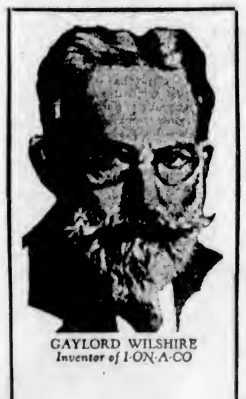

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By GAYLORD WILSHIRE

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But sometimes these poisons are not oxidized and not eliminated. Why the oxidation of the poisons sometimes fails to occur was only recently explained through the discovery of Professor Otto Warburg, the noted German biologist. In his lecture before the *Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research*, he proved that it is the iron in the body which controls the oxidation process. In other words, the iron is a catalyzer, a transfer agent which takes up the oxygen—after it has passed from the lungs into the blood—and delivers it to the tissue cells.

MAGNETISM: When the iron is not in the proper atomic state, there is not a sufficient supply of oxygen delivered to produce complete oxidation of the poisons. So these accumulate, the resistance of the body is weakened, and it is consequently susceptible to the action of disease germs.

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COMPANY COMPLETES ITS THIRD DECADE

B.C. Electric Railway Is Thirty Years Old as Present Entity—Had Three Predecessors

Thirty years ago on April 15 the British Columbia Electric Railway was organized, as successor to the Consolidated Railway Company, the new company coming into existence as a reconstruction of the last-named organization which had gone into a receiver's hands following the disaster here on May 26, 1896, at Point Ellice.

The company is preparing to issue some special information in connection with the anniversary, and the local office of the company is now working on matter to supply to Vancouver for the purpose of publication.

In recalling the anniversary, and the thirty years' association of Mr. R. M. Horne-Payne with the enterprise, it is pointed out that Mr. Horne-Payne's connection with the company dates earlier than the present consolidation, because in November, 1895, it was announced in British Columbia papers that a London syndicate headed by him had acquired the franchises.

Came Out in 1896

Mr. Horne-Payne himself came out in April, 1896, to British Columbia to look over the properties. After the disaster the company went into a receiver's hands, and Mr. Horne-Payne returned to London to raise the necessary additional capital, as a consequence of which the British Columbia Electric Railway came into existence to take over the properties and assets of the company, the Consolidated Railway and Light Company going out of existence on April 15, 1897. Mr. Horne-Payne became chairman of the new company, of which he has since remained the head.

In Victoria the National Electric Tramway and Lighting Company was organized in 1889, and in the following year street cars began to run with six miles of track and five cars in this city, power being generated by the steam plant on Store Street.

Another Change

In 1894 the name was changed to the Victoria Electric Railway and Lighting Company Limited, and in that year the Consolidated Railway and Lighting Company Act was passed. In 1896 the name was changed to the Consolidated Railway Company, this company purchasing the undertaking of the Victoria company. Next year the new company came into existence, and the year 1898 saw the Goldstream hydro-electric plant installed.

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Obituary

RICHARDS—The funeral of Mrs. Jessie Mary Richards took place yesterday afternoon from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, where service was conducted by Mr John Lefevre. Burial was in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery. The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. A. Baines, J. McDonald, A. Clegg, T. Miller, R. Roberts and E. Munday.

MILLER—Funeral service was held at the family residence, 500 Gorge Road West, yesterday afternoon for Mr. James Carrick Miller, who died Sunday morning. Rev. W. G. Wilson, D.D., pastor of the First United Church, conducted the service. Messrs. William Lethlan, D. Ferguson, G. Stevenson, J. W. Fullbrook, A. McIlvride and A. McKeachie acted as pallbearers. Burial was in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery. The Thomson Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

WHITE—Funeral services for Miss Harriette White, who died in this city on March 28, were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Rev. F. H. Fatt officiated and the following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. C. C. Cooper, D. M. Kenway, J. Flack and C. Nickerson. Interment was in Royal Oak Burial Park.

PRIMITIVE RITES TO BE RENEWED

GOVERNOR-GENERAL WILL BE PROCLAIMED TODAY AS A CHIEF OF ISLAND TRIBES

Public Asked to Co-operate in Success of Unique Ceremonial at Craigflower

At 3:30 o'clock this afternoon in the vicinity of the old Craigflower School one of the most interesting events connected with the visit of Their Excellencies, Viscount and Viscountess Willingdon, will be staged. This will be the creation of the Governor-General as a full Chief of the Vancouver Island tribes of Indians.

The event is one that is connected with the traditional goodwill that has existed between the native tribes of the North American Continent and the subjects of His Majesty the King. A system of fair dealing with the natives has always been maintained by the Government of the country. As the wards of the Government the natives have come to look with the deepest respect and most loyal regard to the King. His Excellency, as the representative of the crowned head, calls forth from the natives in large measure the same allegiance.

The tribes of Vancouver Island therefore regard the opportunity of receiving His Excellency as a full chief as something of which to be proud.

In Historic Setting

The setting for the event is likewise historic. It will be carried out practically on the grounds of the oldest schoolhouse in the Province—the first one to be opened in British Columbia. All about the spot are reminders of the earliest days of the settlement on Vancouver Island, and of the future Province of British Columbia.

On the opposite side of the Arm from the place where the ceremony actually takes place stands the picturesque old farmhouse of the Hudson's Bay Company which will be inspected by the Governor-General and his party before the actual investiture as a chief takes place.

The few remaining traces of the earliest days of the starting of farming operations by the company are scattered about, connecting the city of Victoria and district with the pioneer periods of the Province's history.

While the actual ceremony takes place at 3:30 o'clock at Craigflower the events leading up to this will be of a very spectacular character and will occupy a full hour of time. This will include the conveyance by means of war canoes of the party from the Causeway where the Governor-General and members of the official party will embark.

It is particularly desired that any launches or boats that wish to join in the procession up the Gorge shall take their positions in the rear of the war canoes of the Indians. The public will be able to view the start of the procession from the Causeway and about the vicinity.

Many Tribesmen Come

The Indians of the party will be in historic costume. They will in approaching the Causeway sing their own songs as they paddle to the embarking place. There will be a large number of tribesmen from various parts of the Mainland as well as from the Island reserves. The Indians themselves have entered very heartily into the spirit of the event and will spare no trouble to make it the greatest success. Great credit for the co-operation of the tribesmen in the ceremony is given to Mr. F. J. Lomas, Indian agent at Duncan; Mr. Tom O'Connell, Dominion police officer, and Chief Michael Cooper, who has acted as interpreter throughout. The arrangements were carried out for the city by Alderman Adam and Mr. John Baxter, Mayor's secretary.

At the place for the ceremonial part of the proceeding there will be a space roped off for the actual participants. In addition to this there is opportunity for the general public to watch the event from the higher ground about.

The programme is as follows:

Canoe trip up Gorge waters and Indian ceremony at Craigflower.

Their Excellencies and party will arrive at Causeway landing stage, opposite Empress Hotel, at 2:30 p.m. On arrival of party, Indian canoes will appear round corner of James Bay Boathouse and paddle in to the landing stage. Party will embark on canoes as follows:

First Canoe—Their Excellencies, Two Aldes.

Second Canoe—Lieutenant-Governor and Miss Mackenzie, Colonel Brown and Alderman Adam.

Third Canoe—Mayor and Mrs. Pendray, Two Aldes.

Naval launch to accompany canoes can seat seven in addition to pressmen. Mr. Crowdy, Mr. Fairbairn and others.

Canoes proceed up Arm, under Johnson Street Bridge, Point Ellice Bridge and C.N.R. Bridge to landing stage at City Park, where party will disembark.

Time of arrival at Gorge Landing, 3:10 p.m.

Cars will be waiting on roadway leading from Gorge Bridge.

Party proceeds by car to old Hudson's Bay House, just over Craigflower Bridge. Mr. Newton, lessee of house and Mr. Wilson, land department, Hudson's Bay Company, will be waiting to conduct party round old house and give history.

Party returns to grounds adjoining old school house.

His Excellency will be made an Indian Chief by Chief David.

His Excellency will be asked to present a Hudson's Bay blanket to Chief David on the conclusion of this part of the ceremony.

Presentation of Indian walking-stick to His Excellency by Chief Cooper, of Songhees.

Presentation of totem pole to Lieutenant-Governor by Chief Cooper.

Presentation of Indian baskets to Her Excellency and Miss Mackenzie.

After Indian ceremonies, party will proceed to old school house, adjoining, for tea, to be served by Doo-Dads Club.

This programme should be complete by 4:20 p.m.

Party then returns by car to old Songhees Reserve, arrive there at 4:20 p.m.

Glimpse of present factory, and then His Excellency will be asked to turn first sod of new plant.

Presentation of souvenir by Sidney Rubber Roofing Company.

Programme complete by 4:45 p.m.

Craigflower Farmhouse to Be Scene of Viceregal Inspection This Afternoon

THIS building, erected in the early fifties by Kenneth McKenzie, is held on lease by the Hudson's Bay Company's Employees' Association for club purposes. Of special interest is the massive oak, nail-studded door, which was brought out from Scotland by Mr. McKenzie. It is 6 feet 9 inches high, 3 feet, 5½ inches wide, and 2½ inches thick. Its attractive features are its ornamental hand-made iron, thistle designed hinges and its iron studding. The hinges extend nearly the full width of the door, the thistle being 34 inches long, and the leaves 20 inches wide. There were originally 117 iron studs in the door, but 31 of these have disappeared and been replaced by wooden ones. The size of the doorlock is 15 by 7 by 1½ inches, and, judging from the size of the keyhole two by three quarters of an inch, the latch key, which is missing, probably weighed half a pound.

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Businessmen will be interested in a new list of books specially arranged for their use by the staff of the Victoria Public Library, and among the most outstanding are those dealing with economics, engineering, building, lettering advertising and manufacturing.

Among the books is J. J. R. MacLeod's "Carbohydrate Metabolism and Insulin." The main purpose of the present monograph is to give a comprehensive review of the advances which have been made in the knowledge of the metabolism of the carbohydrates during recent years, and more especially since insulin became available.

"Trade of the United States With China", by Shu-Lun Pan, is a treatise in which an attempt is made to discuss rather fully the economic forces underly the origination, expansion, decline and revival of the trade of the United States with China during the last hundred and fifty years.

"Food Buying and Our Markets," by Day Munroe and L. M. Stratton is divided into two parts for, as the authors state, it aims to give housekeepers a more thorough understanding of marketing machinery and to provide a short cut to knowledge regarding the buying of food.

"Profit Sharing and Stock Ownership for Employes," is by Gorton James and others.

"Woman and Her Money," by Elizabeth Frazer, is a new book in which the principles of sound investment are presented in simple language, illustrated with many examples from personal experience, for the guidance of women.

Sound Investments Theme

There is Herschel's "Selection and Care of Sound Investments," a book which offers practical aid to the investing public. "Interest Rates and Stock Speculation," by R. N. Owens and C. O. Hardy; "Science and Practice of Urban Land Valuation," by W. W. Pollock and K. W. H. Scholtz; "Port Development," by R. S. MacElwee, covering the reasons for port development, its value to the nation and the port city, a comparison of general features of many of the world's ports, an analysis of the various physical features of a port that may make it more attractive to shipping than some other ports, balanced cargoes, tonnage market, grain imports, etc.; J. E. Spurr and F. E. Wormser's "Ore Magmas; a Series of Essays on Ore Deposition;" Goldman's "Financial Engineering;" C. L. W. Trinks' "Industrial Furnaces;" Mingle's "Draft and Capacity of Chimneys;" Alexander Gray, "Principles and Practice of Electrical Engineering."

Practical details of repair shop practice with step-by-step procedure for re-winding all types and designs of fractional horse-power direct current motors are given in "Re-winding Small Motors," by D. H. Braymar and A. C. Roe. W. H. Timbie's "Industrial Electricity: Direct-Current Machines," is for technical school students and electrical workers. There is a "Carburetor Handbook" by E. W. Knott written avowedly for the non-technical motorist and mechanic and including a detailed description of many popular types with instructions for their installation and adjustment.

D. L. Jones has a practical book on "Diesel Engines: Marine, Locomotive, Stationary," with a descriptive chapter on the latest developments in Diesel locomotives and Diesel electric-drive for ship propulsion.

J. V. Woodworth has written "Dies, Their Construction and Use," which is a treatise on the design, construction and use of dies, punches, tools, fixtures and devices, together with the manner in which they should be used in the power press, for the cheap and rapid production of sheet metal parts and articles.

Cargo Handling

There is Bryson Cunningham's "Cargo Handling at Ports," which will be of local interest, and which is a survey of the various systems in vogue, with a consideration of their respective merits. "Water Works Practice," by the American Water Works Association, presents valuable information on collection, quality, treatment, and distribution of water, financing and management, fire protection, and standard forms, procedures, specifications and contracts.

Business and Advertising

In this section there is "Co-operative Marketing of Farm Products," by O. B. Jesness; R. C. Bryant, "Logging;" H. Winkenwerder and E. T. Clark, "Handbook of Field and Office Problems in Forest Mensuration;" R. M. F. Berry, "Fruit Recipes;" R. N. Elliott, "Tea Room and Cafeteria Management;" J. P. Jordan, "Cost Accounting;" W. D. Gordon and J. Lockwood, "Modern Account Systems," D. A. Laird, "Psychology of Selecting Men," G. P. Farrar, "How Advertisements Are Built," Edmund Brown, "Marketing;" W. N. Tait, "Handbook of Window Display."

Manufacturing

Among the most outstanding books in this series are Thomas Hull, "Oils, Fats and Fuels;" J. I. Lewkowitsch, "Chemical Technology and Analysis of Oils, Fats and Waxes;" S. H. Higgins, "Bleaching;" Dean's Theoretical Metallurgy;" E. R. Lilley, "Oil Industry," written by a geologist, but not intended primarily for the scientific or technical reader; D. M. Liddell, "Handbook of Non-Ferrous Metallurgy;" J. B. Walker, "Story of Steel;" A. H. Mundey, "Tin and the Tin Industry;" N. C. Brown, "American Lumber Industry;" R. C. Bryant, "Lumber;" H. D. Tiemann, "Kiln Drying of Lumber, a Practical and Theoretical Treatise."

Building

In connection with building there is "Modern Plumbing Illustrated," written by R. M. Starbuck; "International Association of Master House Painters and Decorators of the United States and Canada," which is a text book for the apprentice and journeyman house painter and decorator. A. A. Kelly, "Painting Trade and Handbook." Arthur E. Payne has written a book on "Lettering; a Handbook for Artists, Architects, Designers, Sign-writers and Craftsmen;" Koller's "Artistic Alphabets for Showcards and Signs," and Sydney R. Jones' "Posters and Publicity, Fine Printing and Design."

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King Albert to Receive Rotarians in Palace

CHICAGO, March 29.—King Albert of Belgium and the royal family will receive Rotarians at his palace in Brussels between June 10 and 14, after the International Rotary convention at Ostend June 4 to 10, the international board of directors was informed yesterday by Felice Seghezza, of Genoa, Italy, board member for Continental Europe.

James Wheeler Davidson, of Calgary, Canada, attended the meeting here.

L'Alliance Francaise

The third of a series of lectures arranged by L'Alliance Francaise will be given this evening at 8:30 o'clock in Victoria College, when Madame E. Sanderson Mongin will speak on "Silhouettes de Pantomime," giving the early beginnings of dramatic presentations and the interesting history of Columbine, Harlequin, Punchinello, etc. Mrs. Tyrwhitt Drake has kindly consented to sing, which will be an added attraction. It is hoped all members will notice the corrected date and hour.

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IMPERIAL CONFERENCE IS NOT BINDING, SAYS PRIME MINISTER KING

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Governor-General's Position

The position of governor-general had been declared to be that of representative of "His Majesty the King." In other words the governor-general was a representative of the King and not in any way a representative of the Government of Great Britain or any department thereof.

In reply to an interjection by Hon. H. H. Manion, Conservative, Fort William, the Prime Minister stated that he had requested Lord Byng before the general election last year to communicate with the British Government, not on the question as to whether there should be a dissolution, but rather on the course he could pursue on being presented with an order-in-council from his Prime Minister asking for dissolution. This was purely a constitutional question.

Stand Taken by Lord Byng

Mr. C. H. Cahan, Conservative, St. Lawrence-St. George, interrupted to ask if in doing that the Prime Minister had not asked the Governor-General to take advice from the Government of Great Britain with regard to an issue that had been raised with respect to Canadian affairs. Premier King had begun to reply that he was attempting to have the Governor-General take the proper constitutional steps, when Dr. Manion asked whether the Governor-General had not taken the stand that he represented the King and not the Government of England.

Premier King replied that the Governor-General had taken that stand and that that was the point on which he had asked him to communicate with the Government of Great Britain. Just a few months previously, Ramsay MacDonald had asked the King for a dissolution and had received it, and he (Premier King) had wanted the Governor-General to determine whether the representative of the King in Canada should take the same course as the King had taken in England.

"I told His Excellency that after he got this advice he could do what he liked with it," Premier King continued.

He added that he had wanted the Governor-General to obtain the best advice possible, and had told the Governor-General that he had no objection if Sir Robert Borden were called in and his advice requested. The King on various occasions had been entitled to call in statesmen and seek their advice when a great constitutional question had arisen and he had had no objection to the Governor-General following the same practice.

Mr. King Says He Was "Chivalrous"

Premier King was repeating that the constitutional question was a very serious one when he was interrupted by shouts from the Conservative side of the House. When order was restored, Premier King continued by stating that fortunately it has been solved satisfactorily by the last election.

"I want to say, however," he added, "if the people of Canada had given a different answer than they did, it would be far from settled at the present time." His action in advising the Governor-General to take the course suggested in seeking advice had been "a chivalrous action to try and prevent the Governor-General from making the mistake he did make."

"By His Opponents"

This action of his had been misrepresented by his opponents to make it appear as though there had been some sort of issue between the Canadian Government and the British Government, but relations between the governments had been most cordial during his term of office.

Premier King then turned to the Conference action in connection with the method of communication between the British Government and the Government of the Dominion. In view of the fact that the Governor-General would in the future represent the King and not the British Government, the Conference had decided on a method of communication direct between the governments concerned. This method would prevent the Governor-General being drawn into controversies in respect to communications with the different governments.

The Conference, Premier King concluded, had also taken up the subject of legislation in the Dominions which appeared to conflict with the broad policy of equality of status which had been laid down.

Obsolete and Dead

Differences of opinion had been freely admitted and particular interest had been taken in the problem presented by the right of the British Parliament to disallow legislation passed by the Canadian Parliament. This law was obsolete and was constitutionally dead.

Nothing had been done which in any way affected the actual constitution. Apart from the provisions embodied in the constitution it was the right of each government to advise the Crown in its own affairs directly. The B.N.A. Act remained unchanged and the power of veto held by the British Parliament was practically impotent. It had not been exercised for fifty years and was not likely to be.

"Isn't that due to the strength of the Parliament of Canada rather than to any change?" asked Mr. Cahan.

Mr. King pointed to the importance of this power of disallowance to the Government of Ireland, where the Free State constitutional problems were to be dealt with similar to Canada. If disallowance were admitted, the British Government at Westminster would have complete veto. But the British Government had taken a broad view on this matter, deciding only to exercise the disallowance in cases asked for by the ministry itself.

To Speak at King's Hall

Rev. H. A. Brooks, of Portland, Ore., who is visiting in this city, will speak in the King's Hall, Yates Street, on Wednesday and Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock. Mr. Brooks is a man of wide experience in Christian work, especially among the young people, whom he particularly desires to meet on Thursday evening, when he will have a special message for them prior to his main discourse.

Held Organization Meeting

A meeting of the Conservatives of Ward Two, Saanich, was held last evening in the Cloverdale School. It had been intended to elect officers for the year, but in view of the fact that the date for getting names on the voters' list is now very close, it was decided to give attention to this important work of organization and postpone the election for a later date, at a meeting to be called for this purpose. Hon. T. G. Coventry, M.P.P., was present, and gave an address before them on the importance of organization. The remainder of the evening was spent on this work.

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City & District

Library Closed—The Victoria Public Library will be closed today between one o'clock and six o'clock.

On Visit to City—Mr. P. L. Naismith, manager of the Natural Resources Department of the C.P.R., with headquarters in Calgary, is in the city. He and Mrs. Naismith are guests at the Empress Hotel for a few days.

Convalescing Satisfactorily — Hon. William Sloan, Minister of Mines, who suffered a relapse over a week ago, is convalescing in St. Joseph's Hospital, and his condition is such as to give every assurance that he will soon be about again.

Is Preparing Report—Mr. George A. Clothier, resident engineer of the Department of Mines, with headquarters in Prince Rupert, is in the city. He has arrived from the North for the purpose of completing his section of the annual report of the department which will be issued shortly.

J.B.A.A. Committee—The J.B.A.A. has opened up committee rooms at 608 Cormorant Street, where an energetic committee is busy going over the voters' list and making plans to get out a heavy vote in favor of the Oswego Street By-Law tomorrow. Transportation to the polling stations will be made available by telephone calls to 2513 on the day of voting.

Sunday School Meeting—The officers and teachers in all the Sabbath schools in the Presbytery of Victoria will meet in St. Andrew's Church on Friday evening at 8 o'clock. The purpose of the meeting is to confer in regard to various phases of the work. Mr. Douglas Muir will speak on the relation of the school to outdoor games, such as tennis, basketball, etc. Mr. Thomas Humphries will speak on "Evangelism." Refreshments will be served at the close of the meeting.

DECISION RESERVED ON SANKEY APPEAL

Court of Appeal End Hearing in Case of Indian Convicted of Murder of Teacher

VANCOUVER, March 29.—Judgment was reserved by the Court of Appeal, Tuesday, in the Sankey murder case.

Argument between J. Edward Bird, for the accused, and A. M. Johnson, K.C., for the crown, concluded with a reference to exhibits, articles of clothing of the murdered girl, Loretta Chisholm, and of the Indian, Joe Sankey, who stands today under sentence of death to be executed on May 25.

Mr. Bird exhibited Sankey's vest to demonstrate to the court that the bloodstains thereon were consistent with the prisoner's story of nose bleed and inconsistent with the crown's version of a struggle. Although the girl's slicker, ripped and torn to shreds, indicated a terrific struggle, Mr. Bird commented that Sankey's garments were perfectly in order and undamaged in any particular.

To this Mr. Johnson replied by exhibiting the dead girl's gauntlets, stained with blood. These heavy leather gauntlets fastened at the wrists, were still on her hands when the body was found, said Mr. Johnson, and thus hampered she could have inflicted no damage on her assailant, he contended.

Mr. Bird argued that the crown's case was entirely circumstantial and that the trial judge had failed to direct the jury properly on the law of circumstantial evidence. Mr. Johnson contended that the crown's case largely was direct and only in one phase circumstantial. To Mr. Justice Martin he conceded that the full law of circumstantial evidence was not given to the jury.

With the refusal by the court on Monday to admit new evidence, the decision now rests on whether Mr. Bird has made out a case in law entitling Sankey to a new trial.

Slave Freeing Officers Are Killed by Natives

LONDON, March 29.—Capt. West, of the British Army, and two members of his expedition into Northern Burma to free slaves have been killed by natives, according to advices reaching the India office.

The dispatches say the expedition was attacked by natives.

Capt. West and two native members of the expedition were killed, three others were wounded and an interpreter is missing. Reinforcements of military police have been sent to the district.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

22 The Winch Building Is Not a Beauty Parlor—Men need not hesitate to consult Miss Hanman with reference to facial blemishes, if unable to guarantee success she will not undertake the case, but will suggest medical advice. 22 the Winch Building, Fort Street.

Mispah Court, No. 2, Order of the Amaranth, is holding a social dance on Wednesday, March 30, at the K. of P. Hall, North Park Street. Invitations may be obtained from members of the Order. Heaton's Orchestra, novelty dances and refreshments. Admission 50 cents.

The Annual Daffodil Tea of the King's Daughters will be held at the home of Miss Agnew, Rockland Avenue, Wednesday, April 6, from 3 to 6 p.m.

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Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

Jutland

Sir,—I had no intention of entering on a controversy by writing my original letter, but if your space allows will answer Mr. Livesay's in your paper of 22nd instant, more or less by paragraphs.

1. Mr. Churchill's tenure of office as a Minister of the Crown did not end with his connection at the Admiralty.

There is no comparison between his book, which is critical, and Lord Jellicoe's, which is a purely unvarnished account, non-critical and non-contentious, of the doings of the Grand Fleet and that magnificent body of men who came to the aid of the regular navy—information necessarily completely withheld from the public during war time.

2. The Admiralty communique tended to leave an unfavorable impression in the public mind, also to pave the way for adverse criticism.

3. Criticism of the battle is largely based on the "hindsight forethought" method, knowing after the event many things unknown to the commander on "might have beens," and the mere assumption of Mr. Livesay's thesis that had more resolute methods been adopted the High Seas Fleet would have been absolutely defeated.

This is only another "might have been" at best. It was lack of daylight and visibility which robbed the fleet of victory decisive, not lack of determination. Two hours' daylight, smoke screens and constantly refusing action on an inner circle by Germans must be considered. Even our battle cruisers completely lost touch in subsequent approaching darkness. No torpedoes are present in P. Z. exercises. Even with the turn away many ships in the line reported escapes only by the skilful handling of the helm.

4. Let it be at once admitted that my remark that "the sinking of the whole German battle fleet would have little effect on winning the war" was a very loose expression of what was in my mind, viz., that there would still, as in similar wars, remain the vast task of defeating the enemy on land. Mr. Livesay has "taken in the slack" in the best naval style and is entitled to all the dialectical advantage he has taken, but at my expense, not that of the Admiralty. It is typical of his criticism that he at once assumes as a truism that the policy of the Admiralty was a passive one. He is convinced (sic) that this passive doctrine is not held there now! It never was. As well accuse a challenger for the championship in the boxing ring of a passive policy should the holder persistently refuse to defend his title.

Mr. Churchill must have thought he had some Board of Admiralty behind him when he suggested digging the Germans out of Antwerp like rats!

I understand from Mr. Livesay's earlier letter these criticisms are made by the great body of naval opinion, "especially the younger men." It is unfortunate that the Board of Admiralty were of the older men, but I would suggest to the younger ones the perusal of a book entitled "If You but Knew"!

As we are in agreement that our opinions are as the poles asunder, it only remains for me to thank you, Mr. Editor, for publishing some of mine and to hope I may some time meet Mr. Livesay over the pipe of peace.

G. E. BARNES, Lieut.-Col.
Crofton, B.C., March 25, 1927.

Insect Pests

Sir,—Frequently it has been brought to my attention that information regarding the control of most of the insect pests, with which the gardens of Victoria are so abundantly infested, is not sufficiently published and that correct knowledge of these matters is possessed by few. Recent experience has confirmed this, some of the information handed out to residents by jobbing gardeners and others, being anything but desirable or correct. Generally speaking, I would say that the residents themselves are to blame for this, for notwithstanding that there is a Department of Agriculture here where the right information can be obtained for the asking, they prefer to take the word of anyone who comes along with a spray pump and a pair of shears, with results that are more often disappointing than otherwise. There are, of course, intelligent men in the business who take the trouble to provide themselves with correct information and who can be relied upon to do a good job, but there are also others who are grossly ignorant of the methods of pest control. In any case, before having work of this kind done it is advisable to find out the correct formulae to be employed and then see that the job is thoroughly done.

For leafrollers, bud worms and caterpillars on shrubs and fruit trees, lime-sulphur spray is no use whatever. It is not an unusual thing for me to visit somebody's place overrun with caterpillars of various sorts and to find that the unfortunate owner had employed someone to spray his trees with lime-sulphur, in the belief that all pests would be killed. Lime-sulphur is a valuable fungicide and destroys mosses and lichens and is used as an insecticide under certain conditions only, but for the above mentioned pests it is valueless.

The European leafroller is one of the worst pests of gardens that we have, being almost omnivorous and extremely abundant. The little grey patches of eggs can be found anywhere on tree trunks, fences and sides of buildings. The method of control is by spraying the trees in February or March with a miscible oil or oil emulsion spray, one part to twelve parts of water. Good brands of these can be obtained in this city. It may be applied with success up to the end of March but no later. Patches of eggs on building or fences can be dabbed with a little coal oil or lubricating oil. The oil kills by closing the pores of the eggs, smothering the young larva inside. Miscible oil sprays should not be applied to green foliage and garden plants should be covered to prevent the spray falling on them.

Bud worms can be controlled by spraying with a combination spray of lead arsenate, one ounce to a gallon of water with one-third of an ounce of blackleaf—40 to the gallon, and one ounce of whale-oil soap. This must be applied just after the buds burst, when the leaves are the size of a ten-cent piece. A second spray must be applied, using the same formula, just before the blossoms open when they are showing pink. Bud worms are difficult to control owing to their habit of tying the leaves together, thus protecting them from the spray. Therefore the spraying needs to be thoroughly done and the liquid driven into the buds when possible. Leafrollers not killed by the oil spray will be largely controled by the combination sprays, which will also clear the trees of aphids.

The old maxim that if you want a thing done, do it yourself, is applicable to this matter of pest control. Get the right formulae and proper time of application from the Department of Agriculture, and then if you must employ someone to do the job, see it is thoroughly done.

This office will be glad to supply information at any time regarding pest control or the proper spray pumps or formulae to use. There is no mystery about spraying, and anyone with sufficient commonsense to follow directions can do the work.

W. DOWNES,
Asst. Entomologist in Charge.
Dominion Entomological Laboratory, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., March 28, 1927.

Beacon Hill Park

Sir,—Victoria's lovely park is just about entering into one of its most beautiful periods. The trees are donning their new fresh raiment and here and there the few wild flowers that are left are shyly peeping out from their ambush of sheltering brush. And it is well that there is still some brush to shelter them, because the eager-eyed child is about peering here and there into the most secure recesss and instantly pouncing upon any flower that may be detected. Far be it from me to curtail the joys of children, but there is a limit. The momentary joy of a child over a wild flower, dissipated almost at once, is hardly adequate to the pleasure derived by adults from the sight of these jewels of Nature. Only a few days ago I saw a little girl with a bunch of eight or ten skyrinchums in her hand which she told me she had gathered in the park. These flowers are getting rare and she must have ransacked every corner to gather her bunch. I wondered where the policeman was.

But children are not the only despoilers of the park. Below Beacon Hill and between Dallas Road and the sea is a fine stretch of turf, affording a splendid playground for innumerable children. Here the owners of motor cars delight to "park" their vehicles. Last Saturday there were between twenty and thirty just below the flagstaff, and some of them were occupied by somnolent old men, not enjoying the view but dozing over a newspaper. They would have been just as happy in any back street or lane of the town and they would not there have contributed to the destruction of the turf. Some time ago there was a notice nailed to a post at this spot warning motorists to keep off the grass, but it has been torn away.

One wonders what the members of the parks committee are doing, and if, indeed, they are doing anything at all. They do not appear to take any intelligent interest at all in the property under their charge.

In the area recently denuded of brush along Cook Street preparations are actually under way for planting those abominations known to nurserymen as "ornamental shrubs," in rows. Is there nobody connected with the administration of our parks who has any idea at all of the beauties that can be created by an intelligent placing and grouping of trees and shrubs?

CHARLES ST. BARBE.
407 Belleville Street, Victoria, B.C., March 29, 1927.

Tod Inlet Road

Sir,—Without a doubt this road is badly in need of immediate repairs. There seems one point that has escaped attention. The present road is the only way to get to Mr. Butchart's, the college and Mr. Andros' camp. Might I suggest to save the return traffic on that road, that it be continued and so make a round tour, to continue the road from the college to a much larger community, and so join up with Mr. Wallis' Anchorage, Brentwood Bay and Moodyville. I understand all the available and necessary land has already been promised free.

WALTER J. DANDRIDGE.
1612 Fell Street, Victoria, B.C., March 28, 1927.

Reverted Lands

Sir,—I saw a letter making a suggestion for giving away reverted lands. The idea, as far as the letter goes, sounds logical, but I would think it only fair to give Victorians or Vancouver Islanders first choice after the trying time they have been having. Of course, I have no doubt to some men who are saving up to build a home of their own it would speed them on, but the best part of the suggestion is we would be helped out with our taxes. As Mr. Archer rightly says, nothing is likely to happen unless we start something ourselves, and it sure is time something started. But Mr. Archer's idea is worth a thought and seems feasible.

J. BAILY.
Foul Bay Road, Victoria, B.C., March 28, 1927.

Fort William Earthquake Mystery Is Made Plain

FORT WILLIAM, March 29.—The mystery of the "earthquake" which shook an area estimated at twenty-five miles in the vicinity of Kakabeka Falls, causing people to flee their homes, was solved today. A thousand tons of ice hanging over the precipice of Kakabeka Falls fell 110 feet into the gorge below, crashing on the rocks with such violence as to cause the ground to tremble for a great distance.

Officials of the Kaministiquia Power Company, operating a plant at Kakabeka Falls, estimated that the huge mass of ice which dislodged itself was made into a solid block by the time it crashed, and the force of the drop would have increased its weight to approximately 160,000 tons.

Confirmation, St. Mary's

On Sunday evening, in the presence of a congregation that overtaxed the seating accommodation of St. Mary's Church, the Lord Bishop confirmed fifty candidates. His address was on the text from the Epistle to the Hebrews: "According to the Pattern." Ven. Archdeacon Sweet, Rev. C. H. E. Cropper and the Rector assisted in the service, and Capt. Money read the lesson.

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Manitoba Will Answer Three Questions on Beer

WINNIPEG, March 29.—Recommendations that three definite questions be placed on the ballot to be used in the proposed referendum on the sale of beer are made by the special committee of the Legislature, which submitted its report at last night's session of the House. The questions are:

7. Modification of existing law—Are you in favor of a modification of the existing law to provide for an extension of the present facilities for the sale and delivery of beer?

2. Beer by the glass—Are you in favor of the sale of beer by the glass under Government control and regulation, in licensed premises without a bar?

3. Sale by brewers—Are you in favor of continuing the right of the brewers to sell beer direct to permit holders?

Terrible Conditions In New Diamond Field

LONDON, March 29.—Terrible conditions of starvation and disease at the newly pegged diamond field at Litchenburg are described in a Capetown dispatch to The Daily Mail.

Large numbers of persons, mostly children, the dispatch says, are dying of fever and thousands of diggers are starving or existing on a meal of corn daily. There is a total lack of sanitation, while water costs almost fifty cents a gallon.

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Four-Year Sentence for Knockout-Drop Thief

PRINCE GEORGE, March 29.—After pleading guilty to a charge of stealing $2 in cash and a cheque for $37.55 from James McMahon, of Snowshoe, B.C., whom he is said to have persuaded to drink beer containing "knockout drops," Arthur Sayers was sentenced to four years' imprisonment by Judge H. E. A. Robertson in county court here yesterday. It was alleged that Sayers was wanted at Calgary and Edmonton for similar offences.

City Police Court

Charged in the City Police Court yesterday with driving his automobile on Yates Street to the common danger, Albert Windeau pleaded guilty and a fine of $25 was imposed by Magistrate George Jay. The circumstances of the case were related by Constable Charles Cremar, who said that the defendant had backed out from the south side of Yates Street and proceeded backward across the street, crashing into a parked truck, and sending it up on the curb.

H. J. Wilson was fined $5 for failing to have a rear light burning on his automobile.

A similar penalty was imposed on E. L. Knowlton for failing to produce a driver's licence upon the demand of a police officer.

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VALEDICTORY IS PLANNED

BOYS' NAVY LEAGUE BAND WILL APPEAR THIS EVENING AT CONCERT

Will Be Under Patronage of Lord and Lady Willingdon—Arrangements for Tour

When His Excellency the Governor-General and Lady Willingdon attend Victoria's farewell to the Boys' Navy League Band tonight, it will also be the farewell public appearance of Their Excellencies on their present visit to this city.

Arrangements for the tour of the band through Canada and Great Britain are nearing completion as letters arrive from places that will be visited en route, and a gratifying amount of keenness and co-operation is being displayed by all concerned.

Commander Denny, general secretary of the Navy League in England, writes from London that arrangements are being made by Lieutenant-Commander A. A. Fownes, commanding officer of the Cardiff Sea Cadet Corps (affiliated to the Navy League), for an official reception at Cardiff, where the boys will be met by the local cadet corps with band and escorted to the city hall where the entire party will be inspected by the Lord Mayor and entertained at the reception which will follow. An invitation has been received to play an engagement at Portsmouth.

Offers of co-operation are also coming in from cities in Canada which will be visited. At Kamloops the visit will be sponsored by the 172nd Band, and a concert will be given in the Arena.

At most cities to be visited in Canada the band will play at the Cenotaph and place a wreath.

With the date of departure drawing near, and with many encouraging indications that the band can rely upon the support of the cities to be visited on tour, it is hoped that the public of Victoria will co-operate in making this farewell concert a success and in securing for the boys a rousing "send off."

The concert from the point of view of entertainment offered, will be an outstanding one. The well-known artists include Miss Minnie Beveridge (cellist), Miss Rhena Marshall (soprano), Mr. Donald Hyslop (baritone), the Jewell sisters (specialty dancers), Miss Marjorie Hodgkins (cornetist) and Miss Olive Jordan (juvenile dancer).

The Crystal Garden orchestra, under the direction of Mr. W. Tickle, will co-operate, and Mrs. Clifford Warn, the well-known pianist, will be at the piano.

The box office at the theatre will be open for the sale of tickets all day.

Yesterday Anniversary Of Passing B.N.A. Act

OTTAWA, March 29.—Today is the sixtieth anniversary of the passing by the British Parliament of the British North America Act, binding the nine provinces of the Dominion of Canada into Confederation. It was on March 29, 1867, that the B.N.A. Act was given its final touches at Westminster. It came into operation on July 1 that year, the day now celebrated annually throughout Canada as Dominion Day, and which will see the opening this year of the Jubilee celebration of Confederation.

Sea Cadets' Band of Navy League to Appear Under Distinguished Auspices

CENTENARIAN DANCES WITH GRANDNEPHEW

Miss Eliza Anderson, of Sutton, Ontario, Has Relatives in This City

Miss Eliza Anderson, who was born in India on March 21, 1827, attained her 100th birthday on March 21, 1927, at Sutton, Ontario, where she resides with her nephew, Mr. James Anderson. She is still possessed of great vital powers, having voted at the last general election, and waltzed round the room once with a grandnephew on the occasion of a party given in her honor.

Miss Anderson is the sister of the late Alexander C. Anderson, of the Hudson's Bay Company, and of Mr. James Anderson, also of the Hudson's Bay Company, and is therefore an aunt of Mr. James R. Anderson and Mrs. Gaudin, and other members of the family in this Province. An illuminated card from her nieces and nephews in this Province was presented to her on the occasion of her birthday. The following is an excerpt from a Toronto paper.

Bell Pealing 100 Times Tells of Unique Event

Miss Eliza Anderson, Centenarian of Sutton West, Attends Holy Communion

"SUTTON, March 21.—The bell in the tower of the Anglican Parish Church here pealed forth 100 times today as the rector entered the church to conduct a special celebration of the holy communion for Miss Eliza Anderson, who reached the century mark today.

"At the appointed time, Miss Anderson walked unassisted to the altar rail to partake of the holy communion.

"A large number of friends and relatives were present at the service, among them being her great-grandniece, Caroline Anderson, of Alnsley Farm, and her grandnieces, the Misses Bourchier, of Sutton."

Mrs. Anderson is the daughter of the late Robert Anderson, who first settled in the Township of Georgina in 1831, and she is a granddaughter of the late James Anderson, LL.D., of Cobdenbsaw, Scotland, a writer and scholar of distinction.

In Ohio and Illinois Miners Are Shut Out

BELLAIRE, Ohio, March 29.—Ohio miners prepared today for a general shutdown of all coal mines in the State at the expiration of the Jacksonville wage agreement Thursday night.

CHICAGO, March 29.—Rice Miller, president of the Illinois Coal Operators' Association, announced today that every large coal mine in Illinois will be closed at midnight Thursday with orders not to open until 72,500 union miners accept the terms of the operators.

At the Playhouses

COLUMBIA THEATRE A rich similitude of a millionaire's mansion, complete from entrance hall to terraced garden, was erected on one of Universal's stages at the hands of thirty artizans and decorators who worked on the massive setting for months preceding the filming of Tod Browning's production of "Outside the Law," in which Priscilla Dean stars and Lon Chaney is featured in a remarkable dual role, to be shown at the Columbia Theatre today.

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE Blanche Ring, famous musical comedy star, made her debut in motion pictures by falling over backwards on a railroad station platform at Ocala, Florida. Edward Sutherland, director, like it so well, he asked her to repeat the performance. The scene was made during the filming of W. C. Fields' first starring picture for Paramount, "It's the Old Army Game." (Meaning, "Never give a sucker an even break"), which shows at the Playhouse Theatre today.

COLISEUM THEATRE Mr. Joe Marks, veteran showman of the West, is presenting Bert Johnston in his "Big Music and Fun Show" at the Coliseum this week. The company is one of the oldest and best known in America, has been showing for twenty-five years, and everywhere the troup has gone there has been a crowd. Add to this a feature picture and the appearance of Joe Evans, the English comedian, supported by Miss Maisie Carr, and no one will be disappointed with the evening's entertainment.

APITOL THEATRE If a man were a real English "Sir"—And he wanted to meet a girl and couldn't do it unless he posed as someone else—And he attended a house party under false colors and then discovered that someone else had arrived using his title—If he proposed to the lady of his heart and then found that a woman claiming to be his wife had arrived—That would seem to be about enough trouble and excitement for one evening, wouldn't it? But that ain't half of what happens to Reginald Denny in "The Cheerful Fraud," now at the Capitol Theatre. The vaudeville acts this week comprise three unusual entertaining offers. The Capitol Concert Orchestra will be in attendance for the feature attraction.

DOMINION THEATRE In "The Fire Brigade," which Hunt Stromberg produced, and which is now playing at the Dominion Theatre, Charles Ray plays the part of a poor, but honest, fireman, the hero of the story. Ray declares it is a relief to get back to clothes that don't have to be pressed every ten minutes and brushed oftener.

VARIETY THEATRE Thrilling with all the poignant beauty of the late Gene Stratton-Porter's greatest novel, F. R. O.'s big production of "Laddie" is now showing at the Variety Theatre. Directed by Leo Meehan, the famous writer's son-in-law, who also made the script, the picture adheres faithfully to the original story in every detail, and abounds in a wealth of imagery and delightful local color of a Middle West farm.

AMUSEMENTS

The Screen

Capitol—"The Cheerful Fraud," starring Reginald Denny.

Columbia—Lon Chaney in "Outside the Law."

Dominion—"The Fire Brigade," featuring Charles Ray and May McAvoy.

Variety — Gene Stratton-Porter's "Laddie."

The Stage

Coliseum—"Big Magic, Vaudeville and Fun Show."

Playhouse—"The Prince of Paradoric."

Crystal Garden — Dancing and Swimming.

Mail Orders for Matzenauer Recital Received at Fletcher's

From a Lincoln, Nebraska, paper comes this tribute to Margarete Matzenauer, who will sing at the Royal Victoria Theatre on Tuesday, April 5, under the auspices of the Ladies' Musical Club: "Madame Matzenauer was superb, both in stage presence and voice, in first appearance in Lincoln. Every velvety tone was beautiful and glorious, from the deep rich organ tones to the exquisitely delicate soprano notes. She captured Lincoln by her royal, dignified, compelling personality and marvelous artistry." Mail orders for this singer's recital may be sent to the Ladies' Musical Club, care of Fletcher Brothers.

Everything Is Ready For "H.M.S. Pinafore" At Royal on Thursday

Everything is in readiness for the presentation by the D'Oyly Carte Opera Company of "H.M.S. Pinafore," a their farewell offering here. The selection of this sparkling skit upon the navy has proved very popular, to judge from the advance booking. The scenery in its beauty and realism will recall to many the fact that when they were building up the opera Gilbert and Sullivan took trips down to Portsmouth and there, by special permission of the authorities, they had sketches made of every detail of the quarter-deck of Nelson's old flagship H.M.S. Victory, from which drawings Gilbert prepared a complete model of the deck of H.M.S. Pinafore. It is upon that model that the scenery which will be seen tomorrow at the Royal Theatre is based.

Labor Party Loses in Australian Elections

ADELAIDE, Australia, March 29.—State elections in South Australia and Western Australia resulted unfavorably for the Labor administrations in both states.

Leaders of the Liberal and Country parties of South Australia are mutually congratulating themselves on the success of the election manoeuvre of joining forces to oust the Labor administration.

The joint parties are already assured of twenty-six seats out of a total of forty-six in the Legislature, giving them a majority of at least six over the former Labor administration.

In Western Australia the two Opposition parties have elected twenty-three members and twenty-three members of the Labor Party were returned. Although in a precarious position the Laborites are expected to continue their administration.

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SYDNEY, N.S.W., March 29.—A medal for unusual bravery was presented by the Duke of York today to Stanley Gibbs, a frail eighteen-year-old youth, who heroically fought a shark in an unsuccessful attempt to save a life. The shark had a younger companion of Gibbs, who was in bathing. Gibbs attacked the shark, straddled it and broke its hold. Gibbs carried his companion ashore, but he died later.

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Health and Diet Advice

By DR. FRANK McCOY

Proteins Not So Good

In the last article I discussed ten different kinds of proteins which I consider are the best ones to use for all purposes, if they can be secured. However, in many cases it will be necessary to substitute some of those which I consider "not so good." I will explain as simply as possible why the good proteins are to be preferred.

Dried beef is prepared by smoking and drying, and although it is a delicious tasting meat, it is not as desirable as fresh beef because the smoking has a toughening effect upon the beef, and also because a large amount of salt is used in preserving the meat. Nevertheless, this meat can be used, if it is thoroughly soaked for several hours and then parboiled. It should then be removed from that water and cooked in fresh water and served without cream dressing of any kind.

Hard to Digest

Pork is not an unwholesome protein and there is nothing poisonous about this meat, as is believed by many people. The main difficulty is that it is hard to digest because of the large amount of fat which is present even in the lean part of the meat. Those who have strong digestions can handle this meat almost as well as beef or mutton. The best way to prepare pork is by roasting. Fresh pork is always to be preferred to ham and bacon, but a small piece of well broiled ham or bacon may be used with eggs at breakfast time without any harmful results, provided only a small quantity is used.

Fresh tongue, if prepared only by boiling, is a good protein but this meat should never be used in a pickled or smoked form.

Veal and lamb are immature meats and not so easily digested as beef and mutton. However, those with strong digestive power will be able to use these meats in limited quantities.

Salt Cod

Salted codfish is not a good fish as ordinarily prepared, but may be rendered so if parboiled in at least two waters and then boiled for a long time.

Salmon requires too long a time for digestion and should never be used by those who have only a limited amount of digestive strength.

Fowl and game may be used in season, but these meats are not as wholesome as those raised for eating purposes.

Lobter, clam, shrimp, oysters and crayfish, if used in season, are good protein foods, provided they are used only with the right combinations, and not at a meal containing other proteins such as meat, cheese, etc.

Nuts are a form of protein recommended mostly by vegetarians as a substitute for meat. They contain a high percentage of fat, and as this interferes with their digestibility, nuts should never be considered any better protin food than pork or fat meat. However, they may be used occasionally as a substitute for meat, in order to add variety to the diet.

In the next article I will discuss various proteins which I consider not good under any circumstances.

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Society and Women's Affairs

Tea Hostess

Mrs. Leo Menendez entertained at tea on Saturday afternoon at her home on Dewdney Avenue, Uplands, Mrs. S. J. Halls and Mrs. A. H. Tuson presiding at the tea table. The guests included Mrs. Gordon Johns, Mrs. F. Sinnott, Sr.; Mrs. C. Johns, Mrs. C. McConnell, Mrs. Stuart Robertson, Mrs. J. H. McConnell, Mrs. H. Davis, Mrs. Mearns, Mrs. A. Inglis, Mrs. E. H. M. Foot, Mrs. V. Clark, Mrs. Willis, Mrs. S. G. Peele, Mrs. Pat Sinnott, Jr.; Mrs. Fred Spencer, Mrs. A. M. Aitken, Mrs. J. Hargreaves, Mrs. T. Cowden and Mrs. H. Elworthy.

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Five Hundred Party

At the five hundred card game held in the Lake Hill Community Centre on Monday evening the prize-winners were as follows: First table, Mrs. Green, Miss B. Dunnell, Mr. E. Carlow, Mr. R. Mercer; second table, Mrs. Townsend, Mrs. Webster, Mr. Fraser, Mr. T. Goodwin; consolation, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Holdcroft, Mrs. Simpson, Mrs. McCallum; tombola, Mrs. Griffiths. The next game, on Monday, April 4, will be held under the auspices of the Lake Hill Women's Institute.

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Holds Reception

Mrs. A. T. Hunkin, nee Harkness, received for the first time since her marriage in her suite at Hampton Court on Saturday afternoon. She was assisted in receiving by her mother, Mrs. H. Harkness. Little Margaret Stewart opened the door for the visitors, and the tea table, arranged with pink carnations and violets, was presided over by Mrs. A. S. Christie and Mrs. William Young, while Mrs. C. N. Westwood, Mrs. W. H. Wilson and the Misses Greta and Mayford Kerr assisted in serving.

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Marriage to Take Place

The marriage will take place at noon Saturday, Rev. A. deB. Owen officiating, of Lillian Constance, daughter of Lieut. Walter Stannard and Mrs. Stannard, Andover, England, and Mr. Arthur William Bouch, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bouch, 1229 Oscar Street.

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Bridge Hostess

Mrs. Hermann Robertson entertained with two tables of bridge yesterday afternoon for Mrs. Malcolmson, of Edmonton. The guests included Mrs. E. G. Prior, Mrs. A. T. Goward, Mrs. H. J. Wilson, Mrs. A. W. Jones, Mrs. F. W. Hartley and Mrs. Dacre, of Calgary.

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Week-End in City

Mr. William Thacker and Mr. Fred Patterson, of Portland, left for Seattle yesterday after spending the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thacker, Sea View Road, Cadboro Bay.

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Change of Address

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Menendez, of 2317 Dewdney Avenue, Uplands, are moving today to their new home at 824 St. Patrick Street, Oak Bay.

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Here From Williams Lake

Mr. Alistair A. Chisholm, Williams Lake, B.C., is spending a few days in Victoria, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Sinnott, Selkirk Avenue.

Bride and Groom Will Reside in Portland

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MR. AND MRS. ROBERT CUMMINS

Who were married at the Metropolitan Church on Saturday evening. The bride, who was Miss Dorothy Pendray, daughter of His Worship the Mayor and Mrs. J. Carl Pendray, has many friends here and was the guest of honor at a number of teas and bridge parties before her marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Cummins will make their home in Portland, Oregon.

I.O.D.E. RECEPTION FOR HER EXCELLENCY

Lady Willingdon Is Guest of Honor at Tea Given at Empress Hotel

Her Excellency the Viscountess Willingdon honored Municipal Chapter, Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire, with her presence at a largely-attended reception given yesterday afternoon in the ballroom of the Empress Hotel.

Arriving promptly at half past four, Her Excellency, accompanied by Miss Mackenzie, was met by Mrs. Hebden Gillespie, the regent, Mrs. L. A. Genge, first vice-regent, Mrs. C. P. Hill, second vice-regent, assisted by Mrs. Curtis Sampson. Passing through the long line of the I.O.D.E. standards carried by the standard bearers of the primary chapters, all of whom saluted, Her Excellency, accompanied by Miss Mackenzie and the I.O.D.E. officers who met her, took her place at the head of the table, where Mrs. Griffiths, on behalf of Provincial Chapter, spoke a few words of welcome. Mrs. Gillespie expressed the good wishes of all the members in a charming little address, and introduced the regents of the primary Chapters to Lady Willingdon.

Seated at the guest table, with lia decorations of primulas, mauve iris and maidenhair fern, were Her Excellency, Viscountess Willingdon, Miss Mackenzie, Mrs. Gillespie, Mrs. C. P. Hill, Mrs. Albert Griffiths, Mrs. Genge, Mrs. Curtis Sampson, Mrs. E. C. Hayward, Miss Cook, Mrs. R. B. McMicking, Miss Terry, Mrs. Gordon Smith, Mrs. H. K. Prior, Mrs. Kippen, Mrs. Andrew Wright and Mrs. MacMurchy.

In her short address Lady Willingdon congratulated the members on the wonderful work that they had achieved in helping to instill into the minds of the people of Canada principles of loyalty and devotion to the Sovereign, and help to their fellow countrymen and women with no thought of personal gain or credit.

Her Excellency had always taken a great interest in the work of the I.O.D.E. in India, and was looking forward to seeing much of the work done by the Order in Canada. "It is my earnest wish," said Lady Willingdon, "that you may go forward from strength to strength in the achievement of your great work for the Empire to which we are all so proud to belong." A vote of thanks to Lady Willingdon for her address was proposed by Mrs. McMicking and seconded by Mrs. C. P. Hill.

Pretty Minuet

A particularly attractive minuet, danced by Miss Diana Hammond and Miss Elizabeth Garrett, of the Royal Bride Chapter, in the old-world costume, delighted the guests, and at the conclusion of their graceful curtsey before Her Excellency the children presented to her a picturesque floral basket arranged by Gonzales Chapter on behalf of Municipal Chapter. The basket, it was explained to Her Excellency by Mrs. Gillespie, was an original one made by the Indians of the Songhees tribe, and filled with moss, lilies, Oregon grape and ferns, typical of the flora of the Island. A basket of rose tulips and iris was presented by Mrs. Albert Griffiths on behalf of Provincial Chapter. On each of the tables was a Colonial bouquet, the work of the members of H.M.S. Resolution Chapter.

Musical Programme

Those taking part in the musical programme were Mrs. Brian Drake, who sang "A June Song" (Mary Carmichael), "Come Sweet Morning" (A.L.), "Ouvre tes Yeux Bleus" (Massanet) and "Maman Dites Moi" (Waeckerlin), Miss Alexander playing her accompaniments. Mrs. D. B. MacDonnan sang "Tes Yeux," and "From the Land of the Sky-Blue Water" (Cadman), accompanied by Mrs. Clifford Warn; while Mrs. Styles Sehi gave "Dawn" (Carroll) and a delightful little negro lullaby.

The standard bearers representing the primary chapters were as follows: Mrs. Andrew Wright, Provincial; Mrs. Kippen, Municipal; Mrs. Botteley, Camosun; Mrs. Macdonald, Gonzales; Miss Hill, Lady Douglas; Mrs. Eve, Florence Nightingale; Mrs. Lewis, Navy League; Mrs. G. P. Clarke, Esquimalt; Mrs. Thomas, Dr. O. M. Jones; Mrs. Hopkins, Robert Burns McMicking; Miss Thurburn, Valentine Harvey-Beaumont Boggs; Mrs. Norman Payne, Bishop Cridge Ministering; Miss Helen Colpman, Marguerite; Miss Merle North, Commodore Broughton; Miss Doris Ripes, Daisy Chain; Miss Peggy Thomas, Royal Bride; Miss Nan Eve, H.M.S. Resolution; Mrs. E. U. Reid, Allies Chapter.

Before leaving the ballroom Her Excellency received the members who were presented by the regents of each of the primary chapters.

WRITER APPROVES OF MODERN GIRL

LONDON, March 29.—"Croquet was a new and immoral sport in my young days, and women would sit very suppressed and very silly at their knitting. Their talk consisted only of servants and dress."

In these words Richard A. King, the eminent literary critic, who was for thirty-eight years literary editor of Truth, spoke to The Sketch of changes seen.

"In my day a woman of twenty-five was middle aged, and a woman of thirty could hardly expect to marry. Hypocrisy was the keystone of social life. A woman was ostracized for such grave crimes as dancing with married men or being frivolous. A girl learnt exactly what man considered it best that she should learn—singing, deportment, smirking and flattery. And what a ninny she was! She was as much suppressed as women in harems.

"In every way the change between your generation and mine is astounding. Where are the little children bought from their parents, chained to the factory looms, and flogged if they fell asleep?"

Milk Fund Dance

Tickets are selling well for the dance to be held at the Community Hall, Lake Hill, tonight. Dancing will continue from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. The proceeds will be devoted to the Saanich War Memorial Health Centre Milk Fund, which requires augmenting from year to year.

Chemainus

On Friday last a court whist drive was held at the Saltair School, the proceeds being devoted to the Porter Chapter, I.O.D.E. fund for the Solarium. The affair was largely attended, and the sum of $42 realized. The first part of the evening was devoted to court whist, the prize winners being Mrs. Rayor and Miss Marshall, first and second ladies; Mrs. Robertson, consolation; Mr. Eldridge and Mr. Hutchison, first and second men's; Mr. L. Rayor, consolation. Sixteen tables were in play. A musical programme was then rendered. Songs were contributed by Miss Lee, Miss Haines and Mr. Adam; violin solos by Mr. Allester, and pianoforte selections by Mrs. Jarrett. Dancing was enjoyed by those present, Messrs. Quayle and Robertson giving their services in providing the dance music. Refreshments were served by members of the I.O.D.E.

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The members of Review No. 19, W.B.A., were hostesses at an enjoyable court whist drive recently with eight tables in play. The first and second prizes were won by Mrs. George McInnes, Mrs. Welcker, Mr. Sawyer and Mr. Halberg; the consolation prizes being awarded to Mrs. Sawyer and Mr. A. E. Beecham. Mrs. Longrigge won the tea-cloth which was raffled. The serving of refreshments concluded the evening.

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Archdeacon Collison, of Duncan, was in Chemainus on Sunday, conducting the evening service at St. Michael's and All Angels' Church.

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Mr. Charles Collyer and his son, of Tacoma, are spending a few days at the Horseshoe Bay Inn.

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Inspector A. C. Stewart is in Chemainus this week.

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Mr. James Arbuthnot spent the week-end in Nanaimo with relatives.

Keating

The fortnightly card tournament held by the South Saanich Women's Institute, in Temperance Hall on Saturday evening, took the form of a birthday social, the occasion being the thirteenth anniversary of the Institute. Fifteen tables of players enjoyed the game of military 500, the players at Fort No. 4, with twenty-seven flags to their credit, won the first honors, being Mrs. A. McKenzie, Mrs. R. Glidden, Mr. W. McNally and Mr. Clow. Mrs. E. T. Lawrie, Mrs. C. L. Styan, Mr. Doveson and Mr. J. J. Young, at Fort No. 12, with twenty-four flags to their credit, won second honors, and Miss Edith Rickford was the winner of the lucky card prize. Following the game, refreshments were served by the committee in charge, Mrs. G. E. Warner, Mrs. J. J. Young, Miss Hazel Lamont and Mrs. Glidden. A beautifully decorated birthday cake, made and ornamented in the Institute colors of green, white and gold, by Mrs. R. E. Nimmo, was cut by Mrs. H. Lawrie, first president of the Institute. A social time, in charge of Miss C. MacNab and Mrs. J. A. Patterson, followed and several contests and dances entertained the guests until midnight. Mrs. J. J. Young and other visitors supplied the music for dancing. The next card party will be held on Saturday evening, April 9, in Temperance Hall.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hazenfratz and family were visitors to the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Lawrie, Giles Crossroad, on Sunday.

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Mr. J. Russell returned to Vancouver on Sunday after spending several days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Russell, Giles Crossroad.

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The weekly basketball games held by the Keating Basketball Club in Temperance Hall, will be held on Friday evening, April 1. The Cobble Hill teams will be unable to attend, but other teams are being arranged for. The games will be followed by refreshments and the usual dance.

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Members and friends of the South Saanich Junior Institute Club enjoyed a jolly outing on Sunday afternoon, when they climbed Mount Douglas. The party met at Temperance Hall at 2 o'clock and made the trip to the mountain in cars.

Metchosin

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Winter, of Vancouver, have been spending the week-end at their Summer camp, near Witty's Beach, prior to leaving on an extended tour through England, France, Switzerland and Italy. They have rented their camp for July and August to Dr. and Mrs. Selden and Mrs. McIlathie, of Vancouver.

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Mrs. Chambers entertained at her home, "A Quinta," on Saturday evening with four tables of bridge.

Nanoose Bay

Mr. Ben Hayes has returned to his home at Stavely, Alta., after spending a few weeks visiting friends in the district.

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Mrs. J. Schell has returned to her home at Vancouver after a visit at Nanoose Bay.

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Mr. T. Blackburn, of Regina, Sask., was a recent visitor at the Bay.

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Mr. A. Taylor, of West Vancouver, has returned home after a few days spent at Nanoose on business.

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Mr. W. Cox, of Estevan, Alta., was a visitor at Nanoose for a few days during the week.

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Mrs. W. Ward left for Victoria on Monday after spending the week-end at Nanoose.

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Miss Dora White has left for the East after spending a few days visiting relatives at Nanoose.

Colwood

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Pratt was baptized by the Rev. H. Pearson Sunday afternoon, and received the names Sylvia Marian. The godfather was Mr. E. Shields, and the godmothers, Mrs. E. Shields and Miss Marion Goucher.

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The Rev. H. Pearson preached his farewell sermon in St. John's Church on Sunday evening to a well-filled church, parishioners from the entire district being present.

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The Colwood Optimists will hold their monthly meeting on Saturday, April 2, at "Nightingale," the home of Miss Kelly.

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The Rev. H. Pearson, Mrs. Pearson and Miss Muriel Pearson left for Ladysmith today. At they passed the school the children were out and gave them a hearty send-off.

Jubilee W.A. to Meet

The monthly meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Jubilee Hospital will be held in the Nurses' Home today at 2:30 o'clock.

Fashion Fancies

By Marie Belmont

Early in the season there was much talk in fashion circles regarding tailored suits, whether or not they would be much in demand. The answer now seems to be established—that discriminating women, at least, will add a chic tailored suit to their wardrobes.

The reason for this is ably demonstrated in the effective garment above, made in a mannish "trouser" material, and smartly shaped at the back.

Tuck-in shirts are also appearing in new and attractive styles. Many of the suits, mounted like men's trousers with pleats from the waistband, take strictly tailored shirts.

Weddings

Brown-Laird

NANAIMO, March 29.—A pretty wedding was solemnized yesterday at noon at St. Phillips' Church, Cedar, when Marion Nisbet, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Laird, became the bride of Mr. Horace Brown, son of the late James M. Brown and Mrs. Brown, Hecate Street, this city. Rev. S. Ryall officiated. The bride, who entered the church on the arm of her father, wore a gown of white taffeta, with plain bodice and gathered skirt trimmed with large rosettes of Valenciennes lace, centred with silk flowers in pastel shades. Her tulle veil was held in place by a wreath of orange blossoms, and she carried a bouquet of blush pink carnations and Mimosa. She was attended by Miss Ena Brown, sister of the groom, attired in a gown of Burgundy satin, trimmed with sand. She carried pink carnations and white tulips. Mr. John Laird supported the groom. Little Jean Laird acted as flower girl and looked a picture in a ruffled dress of peach georgette, with poke bonnet peach, faced with pink. She carried a basket of carnations. Mrs. O. D. Roberts sang "Bridal Dawn," while Mrs. H. Vickers presided at the organ. Following the ceremony a reception was held in the Parish Hall which had been decorated for the occasion. Mrs. Laird, mother of the bride, wearing navy crepe satin, and Mrs. Brown, the groom's mother, in grey satin, received the guests. The tea tables were under the supervision of Mesdames S. York, Melkle and Roatli, assisted by a bevy of young ladies. The bride-cake, which centred the table, was composed of three large tiers separated by columns. After the reception the couple left by motor for Victoria. On their return they will reside in their new home on Victoria Road.

Wilson-Davis

NANAIMO, March 29.—A quiet wedding took place in Vancouver at 7 p.m., Saturday last, when Dorothy Davis, second daughter of Mrs. F. Davis, Nicol Street, Nanaimo, became the bride of Mr. George Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Wilson, Nicol Street, also of this city. After a brief honeymoon, which is being spent in Sound cities, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson will take up their residence in Vancouver.

Mawson-Grouhel

LADYSMITH, March 29.—A wedding took place in St. John's Church on Monday evening when Miss Jeannie Grouhel, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Grouhel, became the bride of Mr. J. T. Mawson, of this city. Rev. Edwin Moss performed the ceremony. The bride was given in marriage by her father, wearing a gown of pink georgette and crepe de Chine, carrying a bouquet of Ophelia roses and maidenhair fern. Her sister, Miss May Grouhel, and Miss Jean Mawson attended as bridesmaids, carrying bouquets of tulips and daffodils. The groom was supported by his brother. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. Later Mr. and Mrs. Mawson left by motor for Nanaimo en route for Vancouver, where the honeymoon will be spent. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Louis Grouhel entertained a large number of friends at their residence. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Mawson will reside on Fourth Avenue, Ladysmith.

Guild of Health

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GOVERNOR-GENERAL VISITS HOSPITALS

Lord and Lady Willingdon Chat With Veterans at Jubilee and St. Joseph's

Lord and Lady Willingdon spent more than two hours yesterday morning visiting the two big hospitals, Provincial Royal Jubilee and St. Joseph's, showing a sympathetic interest in the facilities which the city has for the care of its sick. The provision made for the treatment of war veterans still suffering from the effects of wounds or illness, especially interested them, and in each hospital they spent a longer time than elsewhere in the returned soldiers' wards, giving each man a cheering word and handshake, and occasionally stopping to inquire at greater length about their service overseas. At St. Joseph's they went almost directly on arrival to visit Hon. William Sloan, who is a patient there at the present time, and remained chatting for several minutes before continuing their tour of the institution.

The party, which included His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Miss Mackenzie, were received at the Jubilee Hospital by Dr. E. M. Pearce, medical superintendent, and a guard of honor of thirty-two uniformed nurses. After presenting Miss L. E. Mitchell, the acting matron, and Mrs. Charles W. Rhodes, the president of the Women's Auxiliary, Dr. Pearce conducted the visitors over the building. The superintendent's office was first visited and names inscribed in the guests' book. The returned soldiers' ward, the children's ward, the maternity department, the operating theatre and X-ray department were in turn visited.

On entering the hospital Their Excellencies shook hands cordially with each of the nurses in the guard of honor, and subsequently, on behalf of the staff, a senior member of this body presented Lady Willingdon with a handsome bouquet of red roses.

At St. Joseph's

On arrival at the Humboldt Street entrance of St. Joseph's Hospital the viceregal party were met by Dr. F. M. Bryant, the staff doctors and visiting medical men, all of whom were presented in turn; and by the Sister Superior and members of the hospital council, nurses in uniform forming a guard of honor. Lady Willingdon was given a handsome basket of scarlet and white roses, which exemplified the school colors, this being presented by Miss Anna Powell, a recent graduate, who had lost her father and seven brothers in the Great War.

After a complete tour of the main hospital, which concluded with a visit to the recently-opened roof-garden, Lord and Lady Willingdon were taken across to Vernon Villa, the new annex for tuberculous patients. Here, as in the returned men's ward, they found veterans of the Great War, and showed great interest in each man's record of service and the special character of his disability. In leaving they spoke in very congratulatory terms of the efficient operation of the hospital and the home-like atmosphere of the place.

Their Excellencies this morning will visit Belmont House and the Red Cross workshop.

VANCOUVER 'CELLIST PLAYING HERE TODAY

Miss Minnie Beveridge Assisting Naval League Band Recital Tonight

Miss Minnie Beveridge, Vancouver 'cellist, will arrive in Victoria this morning to take part in the farewell concert of the Boys' Navy League Band at the Royal Victoria Theatre this evening at 8:30. The band will leave for England on April 16, to be away about four months, and tonight's will be their last appearance in public prior to their departure.

The new uniforms which the young musicians will wear while on tour arrived yesterday from Portsmouth, England. They are sailor uniforms, three for each boy, one blue and two white, and on the sleeve of each uniform is a harp with "Victoria, B.C." embroidered in gold letters.

Rotary Superfluity Sale

Householders desiring to make gifts of superfluities are invited to telephone the Rotary Club secretary, 3203, and gifts will be collected by express wagon.

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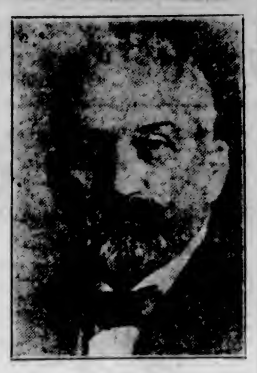

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One of the directors of the well-known Western Mortgage Company.

STUDENTS WELCOME THEIR EXCELLENCIES

Lord and Lady Willingdon Pay Visit to St. Ann's Academy and Are Warmly Welcomed

Their Excellencies the Governor-General and Lady Willingdon, paid a visit to St. Ann's Academy yesterday morning at half past eleven o'clock, the large auditorium being filled with the students in their navy blue uniforms with white collar and cuffs. As the viceregal party, accompanied by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Miss Mackenzie, entered the hall, the National Anthem was sung, followed by the song of welcome.

Miss Ursula Robbins read an address of welcome to the distinguished visitors and a basket of flowers was presented to Lady Willingdon by Miss Patricia Sutherland.

After the singing of "O Canada," His Excellency spoke to the children, receiving hearty applause and loud cheers at the conclusion of his address. Little Jean Cicerl presented him with a buttonhole, a similar gift being made to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor by Marie Trudell.

Before leaving the Academy, Their Excellencies and party wrote their names in the visitors' book.

Women's Clubs And Societies

W.A. to Typographical Union

A successful five hundred party was held on Saturday evening under the auspices of Woman's Auxiliary No. 65 to the Typographical Union, in Stephen's Hall, Government Street. There were seventeen tables in play. The prizes were won by Mesdames Smith, Davidson and McLeod and Messrs. Bowers and Hatcher. After refreshments the tables were cleared away and dancing was indulged in, music being supplied by Mrs. Hibberson and Mr. Crothall. Mr. Hunt gave several monologue numbers. The prizes were presented to the winners by the president, Mrs. W. E. Skett, who thanked those responsible for the pleasant evening. Mrs. Hibberson was the convener, the hostesses being Mesdames Griffiths, Neelands, Arnot and Reif.

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Supper Meeting

The monthly supper meeting of the Victoria Girls' Council was held in the Y.W.C.A. on Saturday evening, with the president in the chair. The different groups in the city were well represented, about thirty girls being present. The devotional period was taken by the "Joy" group of the Victoria West United Church; and the girls of the "Pollyanna" group, Fort Bay, volunteered to take that period for the Easter meeting. The subject under discussion was "The Canadian Indians and Our Relationship With Them." Three indian legends were given by Helen Rich, Olive Baker and Winnie Urquhart. The meeting was brought to a close with a lively sing-song, followed by the singing of "Follow the Gleam" and the Mizpah Benediction.

Lecture on Italy

Tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at Victoria College (Craigdarroch) Miss van Kirk will give the second of her series of illustrated talks on Italy. The subject on this occasion will be Naples, Pompeii, Assisi, Venice, and the Italian Lakes. In this series Miss van Kirk gives a trip through Italy to the "stay-at-homes" with happy reminders for those who have seen this picturesque country. On Monday afternoon at the same hour and place she will speak on "The Eternal City," completing her series the following week, Tuesday, April 12, with a talk on "Mussolini and the Fascist Movement."

Ladysmith

Mr. Theodore Bryant spent last week-end in Vancouver, visiting friends.

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Rev. Edwin and Mrs. Moss left today for Victoria to take charge of St. Saviour's Church in Victoria West. Their many friends extend best wishes to them in their new field of labor.

Songstress:
"I never can forget thee,
Thou first sweet love of mine."
Voice: "You must have a blooming good memory!"—Jugend, Munich.

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Charge customers kindly note that all purchases made this morning and Thursday, March 30 and 31, will be charged to next month's account, payable in May.

Clearing Oddments in Furniture

All-Feather Pillows
50 Only. Special at, each, **89¢**

Bed, Spring and Mattress
Special at, complete, **$22.50**

1 Only, Kitchen Table
White porcelain top. Regular $15.95. Special at..... **$13.50**

Upholstered Reed Chairs
20 Only. Special, each, **$12.95**

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1 Only, high-back style. Special at **$27.50**

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2-Piece. Regular $41.50. Special at **$35.00**
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Cretonnes
Shown in a wide selection of excellent designs and colorings; ideal for drapes, cushion covers, etc. Special at, per yard ..... **19¢**

Cretonnes
Better grade fabrics on rep cloth, 31 inches wide, also 50-inch fabrics for upholstering, loose covers, etc. Special at, per yard ..... **59¢**

Curtain Remnants Half Price
Short lengths of various curtain fabrics, including nets, scrims, marquisettes, cretonnes, shadow cloths and chenilles. This morning..... HALF PRICE

Bordered Scrim
Double Bordered Scrim in white and ivory; will make up in attractive and inexpensive curtains. Special at, yard, **15¢**

Scalloped Border Madras
Cream Scotch Madras of excellent wearing quality, finished with neat borders and scalloped edge; 36 inches wide. Special at, per yard..... **35¢**

Rayon Silk Curtain Panels
Silk Curtains of exquisite quality and nice appearance, finished with bullion fringe, ecru color only; 2¼ yards long. Special at, each, **$1.75**
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Floor Coverings Reduced

200 Yards of Rexoleum at 42c Per Square Yard
Good Quality Felt Base Floor Covering in a wide selection of good designs and colorings; 6 feet wide. Special at, per square yard ..... **42¢**

Heavy Printed Linoleum 84c Per Square Yard
Heavy Printed Cork Base Linoleum, six feet wide; suitable patterns for any room in the home. Special at, per square yard ..... **84¢**

300 Yards of Inlaid Linoleum at $1.39 Per Square Yard
Heavy Grade Inlaid Linoleum with patterns through to the canvas back; suitable for any room; six feet wide. Special at, per square yard **$1.39**
—3rd Floor, H.B.C.

Month-End Bargains in Kitchen Aluminumware

We were fortunate in purchasing a quantity of heavy aluminumware made by the Wear-Ever Aluminum Company and have marked it at special prices for Month-End selling.

Straight Side Deep Saucepans
With tight fitting lids; made in five sizes—
1 Quart ..... **50¢**
1½ Quarts ..... **65¢**
2 Quarts ..... **75¢**
3 Quarts **$1.20**
4 Quarts **$1.35**

Aluminum Salts and Peppers
Fitted with weighted bottoms. Special at..... 2 for **15¢**

Aluminum Egg Cups
Special at..... 2 for **15¢**

Non-Burn Cake Tins
English make, in sets of three, 6, 7 and 8-inch. Special at, per set ..... **29¢**
—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Special Offering of Sports Frocks At $7.95 Each

Balbriggan Sports Frocks in fine silk and wool mixture. Made in one and two-piece styles, with new turn-over and two-way collars, long sleeves; low waistline and front pleated skirt, also Rayon silk frocks in shadow stripe design with roll collar, V neck and inset vestees of lace. Long bodice styles with wide hip belts, finished with fancy buttons. Trimmings include piping, insets of contrasting color, buttons, etc. Shown in roseash, powder blue, muffin, orange, jade, brown, mimosa, queen blue, navy, black and white and cream. Sizes 16 to 44. Special at

$7.95

—2nd Floor H.B.C.

600 White Turkish Bath Towels

In the ordinary way these Bath Towels would sell at $1.00 each. They are of good heavy quality. Size 27 by 54. Being slightly defective in the weave, but not enough to affect the wear, they will be sold today and Thursday at the special low price of..... **59c**

150 Bedspreads at $1.69 Each
White Honeycomb and Grecian Bedspreads for single beds. Excellent wearing, and splendid value at, each **$1.69**

50 Brocade Oilcloth Table Covers at 98c Each
Shown in dainty floral patterns, mostly in subdued colorings. Size 54 x 54 and 45 x 45. Special at, each ..... **98¢**

Sturdy Snow-White Pillow Cases at 50c Each
Made from heavy circular pillow cotton. Sizes 44 and 46-inch. Today, each ..... **50¢**

1,800 Yards of Unbleached Canton Flannels at 15c a Yard
An exceptionally low price for this Canton flannel, woven with a warm nappy surface; 27 inches wide. Today, per yard ..... **15¢**
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Women's Spring Weight Underwear at Special Month-End Prices

Fleeced Cotton Vests
Slightly fleeced cotton, with built-up shoulders only. Sizes 36 to 42. Special at ..... **49¢**

Pure Wool Ribbed Vests
Built-up shoulders and short sleeves. Sizes 36 to 42. Special at ..... **98¢**

Pure Wool Ribbed Combinations
Light weight garments with built-up shoulders; knee length only. Sizes 36 and 38. Special at, per suit **$1.79**

Harvey's Cotton Vests
With silk stripe, built-up shoulders and short sleeves. Also Bloomers to match, with wide gusset. Sizes 36 to 44. Special at, per garment ..... **89¢**
—2nd Floor H.B.C.

New Rayon Silk Jumpers

Special at $2.49

Shown in plain and fancy weaves, with all-over pattern in combination colorings. Some have convertible collars, long sleeves and narrow belts; others have V neck and three-quarter sleeves. Medium sizes. Special at

$2.49

—2nd Floor H.B.C.

A Bargain in Rayon Silk Hose

Fine Quality Rayon Silk Hose, with fashioned leg, reinforced lisle feet and lisle hemmed tops. Shown in dove grey, nude, zinc, sunset, moonlight, peach bloom, blush, bran, black and white. Special at, per pair **39c**

Women's Fine Lawn Handkerchiefs
White Lawn Handkerchiefs, with all-over printed designs; also in colors with contrasting designs. Regular 25c. Special at ..... 2 for **35¢**

A Special in Ribbons
4½-inch Satin Ribbon, in shades of brown, periwinkle, coral, peach, mauve, pink, reseda, scarlet, saxe, maize, Pekin, sky, fawn, grey, henna and cream; also navy black and white. Special at, per yard ..... **29¢**

Crepe de Chine Ties
Heavy Quality Crepe de Chine Ties, in Copenhagen, saxe, jade, orange, white, mauve, gold, pink, brown, peach, purple, wine, grey and sky; extra long. Value $1.50. Special at, each **$1.00**

Suede Finished Fabric Gloves
Good Quality Suede-Finished Fabric Gloves, with novel embroidered flare or turn-back cuffs. Choice of cocoa, mode, grey, sand and pastel. Sizes 6 to 7½. Special at, per pair ..... **69¢**
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Men's Spring Weight Underwear

Soft merino finished cotton in light natural shade. Will wash without shrinking and is ideal for present wear. Your choice of shirts with short sleeves, ankle length drawers or combinations with short sleeves and ankle length; all sizes. Regular $1.50. Special at, per suit..... **98c**

60 Pairs of Men's Odd Trousers At $1.95 Pair

These are tailored from strong durable fabrics in dark tweed and worsted effects. Just the very thing for work-a-day wear. Sizes 30 to 44. Special, per pair..... **$1.95**

Men's Cashmere Hose

Fine All-Wool Cashmere, with treble reinforcement at soles, heel and toe. Shown in fawn and black only. Sizes 10 to 11½. Regular 75c. Special at, per pair **49c**
2 pairs for ..... **95¢**
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Odd Lines of Tennis Racquets at Clearance Prices

All these Racquets are in perfect condition and are very exceptional values at the prices quoted.

20 only, values to $3.50, for **$2.49**
4 only, values to $7.00, for **$4.95**
3 only, values to $9.75, for **$6.95**
4 only, values to $11.75, for **$8.95**
6 only, values to $12.00, for **$10.50**
4 only, values to $15.50, for **$12.95**
4 only, values to $17.50, for **$13.95**

New Season Tennis Balls
Wright & Ditson. Price ..... **60¢**
Phillips. Price ..... **65¢**
H.B. Special. Price ..... **39¢**
—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Broadcloth Blouses Special at $1.98

Good quality white broadcloth, tuck-in and over-blouse styles, with convertible and tailored collar; long sleeves with buttoned cuffs, two pockets, finished with pin tucks. Sizes 34 to 42. Price..... **$1.98**
—2nd Floor H.B.C.

Oddment Table of Half-Price Whitewear

The assortment includes silk, satin and rayon slips, hand embroidered French nightgowns, silk camisoles and voile step-ins. Regular prices 49c to $10.50. Special at ..... **25¢** to **$5.25**
—2nd Floor H.B.C.

Nurses' Uniforms for $1.75

Made from good quality white drill, with roll collar and long sleeves, buttoned front. Size 44 only. Reg. $3.50. Special at **$1.75**
—2nd Floor H.B.C.

New English Ginghams 25c a Yard

Good Quality Ginghams that will give splendid wear, 32 inches wide, a width that will cut to good advantage. Choice of neat checks and plaid effects. Special per yard. **25¢**
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Art Needlework Specially Priced

Women's Stamped Aprons, Special, 39c and 59c
Stamped Aprons of blue novelty material, all ready made and bound in colors; stamped with simple designs. Special at ..... **39¢**
Others in unbleached cotton, coverall style; made-up and in colors; stamped for work in simple designs. Special at **59¢**

Stamped Linen Glass Towels
All linen, with woven borders of red "Glass Cloth," stamped in suitable designs. Special at, each ..... **19¢**
—Mezzanine Floor, H.B.C.

Misses' and Children's School Footwear

Real Leather Footwear, specially constructed to withstand hard usage and give lasting comfort. Choice of tan and fawn calf uppers, with extra weight stitched soles, rubber heels; Oxford styles.
Sizes 8 to 10½. Special at **$2.00**
Sizes 11 to 2. Special at **$2.50**
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Easter Novelty Specials

Pascall's and Ganong's Fancy China Egg Cups, containing chocolate egg. Each..... **15¢** and **20¢**
Pascall's Chocolate Eggs, wrapped in colored foiled paper; 2 for **25¢**
3 for ..... **25¢**
and 6 for ..... **25¢**
Pascall's Fancy Chocolate Novelties—Chocolate Semi-Egg Bath, Chocolate Perriot Eggs, Chocolate Egg with Trinkets and Toys, Chocolate Hen and Egg, Chocolate Cock-o'-the-North, Woodwool Nest and Eggs. Each. ..... **10¢**
Ganong's Chocolate Rabbits, each, **5¢, 10¢** and ..... **25¢**
Candy Marshmallow Eggs, each, at ..... **5¢**
6 for ..... **25¢**
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Special 19c Bargain Table in the Drug Section

A wide assortment of Toiletries and Drug Sundries, many of the items as high as 75c and $1.00 originally. All at the one price of ..... **19¢**
After-Shave Lotion ..... **45¢**
After-Shaving Talc ..... **21¢**
Woodbury's Facial Soap, box of 3 cakes for ..... **69¢**
Wright's Coal Tar Soap, box of 3 cakes for ..... **54¢**
Kennedy's Tonic Bitters..... **98¢**
El Estado Lemon Cream, large size for ..... **87¢**
Creolin Disenfectant and Plant Spray ..... **39¢**
Tincture of Iodine, 8-oz. glass stopper bottle ..... **59¢**
Cocoanut Oil Shampoo, 50c value for ..... **38¢**
Bath Crystals, $1.50 value..... **98¢**
Round Bath Soap, monster size; 20c value..... 3 for **44¢**
Auto-Strop Razor, with 1 blade and an Auto-Strop strop..... **47¢**
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Old Dutch Toilet Tissue Rolls, 3 for ..... **43¢**
White Crepe Rolls. Special at 2 for ..... **29¢**
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Half-Day Specials in the Meat Dept.

Beef Tripe..... 3 lbs. for **25¢**
Ox Tails, per lb ..... **22¢**
Ox Liver, per lb..... **13¢**
Beef Hearts, per lb..... **8¢**
Lamb Hearts, each ..... **4¢**
Lamb Liver, per lb..... **25¢**
Blade Steak, per lb..... **18¢**
Shoulder Steak, per lb..... **15¢**
Sugar Corned Beef, per lb..... **15¢**
Corned Silverside Beef, lb., **25¢**
Veal Shanks, large; each..... **40¢**
Lean Loin Chops, per lb..... **30¢**
Rib Mutton Chops, per lb..... **25¢**
Veal Chops, per lb..... **35¢**
Pork Chops, per lb..... **35¢**
—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

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NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

MAJOR SEGRAVE BETTERS 207 MILES PER HOUR

Segrave Makes Good With Mystery Motor On Sands at Daytona

English Racing Driver Covers Two Trial Miles at Average Speed of Over Two Hundred and Three Miles an Hour, Putting All Former Records Deep in the Shade—Now Heading for Home

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla., March 29.—England tonight laid claim to a title about which there could be no doubt—the world's automobile speed record.

Invading American shores, Major H. O. D. Segrave, intrepid British racing driver, sent his flaming red "mystery Sunbeam" automobile over the sands of the beach here at an average of 203.7928 miles an hour in two one mile speed trials. Malcolm Campbell's 173.22 miles an hour record, established in England and Tommy Milton's American mark of 156.04 were dwarfed by the giant twin twelve-cylinder motor car.

Told Them Himself

His face, blistered by wind, and his wrists sore from holding the huge machine on the beach, the Englishman's thoughts turned to home. Surrendering his mount to a companion, Major Segrave talked with friends at The Daily News in London by radio phone. He told them of his achievement and announced that he would be home soon. He understood his wife and his brother had listened in on the conversation.

Satisfied, now he will pack up and go home, he told companions.

A hot mid-morning sun beat down on the white sand as Major Segrave jockeyed his machine into position down a lane lined on each side by thousands of persons. In the face of a quartering wind he began his northward trip. For four miles he battled the wind and his mount gathered speed for the drive over the mile measured course.

In 17.94 seconds he traversed the mile, an average of 200.68 miles an hour.

The Final Trial

With the wind to his back, he turned about for the final trial. The timing devices reset, he plunged forward on his roaring return. His white, strained face could be seen as the machine careened past the judges' stand, caught in the wind and swerved, sweeping down-course flags and righted itself to go on to the finish.

The whirling wheels had left only a faint trace on the hard packed sands, but on the records of the American Automobile Association they placed an indelible mark. The southbound mile was made in 17.39 seconds, an average of 207.0155 miles an hour.

Major Segrave came to America to reclaim for England some of the glory lost in the realm of sports and made good by carrying out his threat to travel 200 miles or more an hour.

CYCLISTS TO RACE FOR PENWILL CUP

Ten-Mile Event Will Be Held at Beacon Hill on Good Friday—Two Junior Races

At the annual meeting of the Victoria Cycle Club held in the Y.M.C.A. last night, it was decided to hold the Penwill Cup race at Beacon Hill on Good Friday in the morning.

The distance which the riders have to cover is ten miles.

In addition to the big event two junior races for riders under twelve and sixteen years will be held.

The treasurer's report showed the club to be in a good way financially, while the secretary stated that the present membership totaled forty-three.

Officers elected at last night's meeting follow: President, A. H. Walker; vice-president, Howard Taylor; secretary, Frank Rose; treasurer, Stanley Shemilt.

All members are advised to take notice of the address of the new secretary, which is 3330 Glasgow Avenue, or 1417 Douglas Street.

Racing at Tijuana

TIJUANA, Mex., March 29.—Results of racing here today follow:

First race, four furlongs—Bonnie Marguerite, $4.60, $3.60, $2.40; Palodot, $4.60, $2.80; A Treasure, $2.40. Time :48 4-5.

Second race, five furlongs—Charusan, $6.90, $3.80, $3.60; Boy Friend, $3.80, $3.40; Skooklin $3.40. Time 1:02.

Third race, mile and seventy yards—Whipsaw, $32.00, $14.00, $8.00; Lampo, $14.00, $8.00; The Lamb, $3.40. Time 1:47.

Fourth race, mile and seventy yards—Poppins, $12.20, $6.80, $4.80; Drumbeat, $5.40, $3.60; Louis A, $4.20. Time 1:45.

Fifth race, Futurity Course—Lord Valentine, $12.20, $5.00, $3.60; Pangold, $5.00, $4.20; Buck Garrett, $3.00. Time 1:12 4-5.

Sixth race, five furlongs—Miss Nanturn, $25.00, $10.80, $7.00; Shasta King, $3.80, $3.00; Billy D, $3.40. Time 1:11 1-5.

Seventh race, Futurity Course—Shasta Pine, $7.20, $3.40, $3.20; Don Eduardo, $5.20, $5.00; Tondeleyo, $7.20. Time 1:11 1-5.

Eighth race, Clubhouse Course—Parnell, $20.40, $14.00, $7.00; Bryn Dear, $4.40, $3.00; Green Springs, $4.20. Time 1:35 4-5.

Ninth race, mile and one sixteenth—Shasta Donna, $15.60, $7.40, $4.20; Ponomol, $9.00, $5.00; Extra Edition, $8.00. Time 1:46 4-5.

Tenth race, six furlongs—Jody Sinclair, $5.20, $4.00, $3.00; Mathilda B, $9.20, $7.40; Starless, $7.20. Time 1:14 3-5.

Overnight Entries

First race, four and one-half furlongs—Barnsdale Chief, Maximus, 114; Royal George, 117; Betty O'Neal, 108; Financial, 100; Peliaka, 108; Frank Light, 106; O'Leary, 103; Nix, 114; Underwraps, 112; Eagle's Home, 109; Marylin Jean, 99; Master Rock, 99; Clem Lewis, 100; Honey Queen, 111; Miss Fancy, 106; Tom Bryne, 109; Lusradi, 105; Philonea, 109; Heather Sage, 109.

Second race, five furlongs—Aurania, 109; Chambelona, 104; Yorkshire Maid, 105; Mala, 105; Coffield, 116; Apricot, 100; Sixpence, 114; Lajolla, 100; Dumbfounder, 100; Biddy Shipp, 102; Kidder, 100; Full Point, 114; Full Moon, 103; Smart Horse, 95.

Third race, five furlongs—Hypnotic, 112; Miss Emerson, 110; Moonshine Frank, 112; Miss Caltha, 105; North Shore, 110; Jack Fountain, 112; Llanimp, 110; Good Enough, 112; Blue Miss, 110; Mildred Ruth, 110; Japidee, 112; John Hoshor, 107; A. N. Akin, 112; Springvale, 105; Reena Fry, 110; Scotland Forever, 112; Neg, 112; Dr. Scott, 112.

Fourth race, mile and seventy yards—Plow Steel, 103; Col. Snider, 111; St. Angelina, 109; Athelrain, 91; Lihue, 99; Falls of Afton, 109; Rock Bomb, 109; Jay Roberts, 111; Sunhow, 106; The Muscovite, 101; Brazos, 111; Galiford, 103; Metal, 107; Venture, 91; Darius, 113; Portola, 102; Fort Wayne, 95; Sylvanus, 109; Mr. Pat, 111; The Lamb, 107.

Fifth race, five furlongs—Dancing Buddy, 104; Coniba, 95; Heatherdell, 104; Billie Ford, 108; Charlotte Hall, 96; Atheline Wood, 100; Tomorrow, 90; Lady Herode, 96; *Count Vista, 97; Dr. Shot, 101; Leihulu, 103; Duke of Brabant, 97; Kentle, 93; Stream, 102; Reconciliation, 97; *Sheffield, 97.

*McNeil entry.

Sixth race, one mile and one-sixteenth—Llerre; Bunbury, 104; Fasciste, 107; Marvelite, 107; Ponimoi, 112; Huey, 112; Trade Wind, 105; Bardalid, 109; Old Broadway, 111; Pearl Boots, 110.

Seventh race, one mile and seventy yards—Broadmoor, 94; Jack Fairman, 103; Sweepstakes, 109; Mushon, 90; Dr. Clark, 107; Crossbow, 107; Coeur de Lion, 99.

Eighth race, six furlongs—Musketeer, 115; Unfurled, 107; Escapader, 107; Shasta Grancy, 101; Heather Honey, 105; Shasta Love, 99; Baby Doll, 98; Bronx, 108; Miss Nantura, 108; Lacometa, 99; Doctor K., 105; Cyclonic, 97.

Ninth race, seven furlongs—Maiacha, 107; A. Lester, 109; Startler, 109; Lady Berrilldon, 107; Tanson, 109; Whiff, 107; Pangold, 107; Lord Valentine, 109; Moonchild, 107; Kinetic, 109; Be Frank, 109; Suspicion, 107; Run Robin, 112; Modo, 109; Move on Seth, 109; Belle K., 107.

Tenth race, mile and a quarter—Shasta Bally; Polite; Torsida, 109; Harry Maxim, 112; Crassman, 112; Jay Mac, 109; Jolly Cephas, 109; Ruddy, 109; Deep Blue, 105; Shafe, 109; Bright Idea, 107; Full o' Fun, 109; Tuss, 109; Wynnewood, 109; Tight, 109; Sportsman, 109; Scarlet Rugler, 109; Specialist, 105; Olds, 108; Star Cloudy, 109; Doc McMahon, 109; Irvington, 109; Gloom Girl, 107.

FOOTBALL TROPHY AT STAKE TODAY

Rennie & Taylors and Tillicums Meet at Royal Athletic Park in Cup Final

Today's only midweek soccer game, which will bring together Rennie & Taylors and the Tillicums Wednesday elevens in the final for the Rennie & Taylor Cup, will be played at the Royal Athletic Park with A. "Scotty" MacKay in charge of the whistle.

W. J. Rennie will kick off at 3 o'clock sharp, following which the teams will get into action in what promises to be a keenly-fought battle.

Rival managers are confident of victory on the eve of this great battle in the midweek soccer league and one of the largest crowds of the season is expected to witness the game.

Rennie & Taylors will rely on their regular line-up, which has brought them through successfully in other competitions, while their opponents will field a strong team in the hope of winning this trophy, which is being played for for the first season.

The line-ups are announced as follows:

Rennie & Taylors—Lomas; Gilbert and Tupman, Sewell, McKinnon and Stewart; Taylor, Field, Speak, Merlfield and Davies.

Tillicums—Armitage; Burns and Woolsey; Davis, Wright and Owen; Patterson, Ross, Brown, Borde and Graham.

GOLF

By P. J. GAUDIN

Instructor at Shoke Country Club and Union League Club, Chicago

1—For the Average Golfer

This series of articles is written in the hope that it will add somewhat to the knowledge and perhaps the golfing skill of the average beginner. This includes a good 95 per cent of all devotees of the good old game, the sport that was being legislated against when Columbus discovered America.

It is understood that some of the subjects treated will be an old story to expert golfers and even to those students of the game whose knowledge of the golf swing outruns their ability to bring in low scores. The articles will have served their purpose if they can suggest methods which can be used by the average player for the improvement of his or her game; it being doubtful if the golfer ever lived who felt no ambition to raise the general level of his skill.

With the knowledge that this ambition is universal, it seems a real pity that the majority of average golfers, the majority of golfers, in fact, began playing and are continuing along lines that make improvement almost impossible. There is nothing in all sport so delicately adjusted nor so susceptible of getting out of gear as the golf swing. The youngster, especially the observant caddy, picks up a good swing by imitating skillful players and anchors the ability thus obtained by constant practice.

This power of imitation is almost completely lacking in the adult. He or she must learn verbally as well as visually. There are thousands of volunteer spreaders of misinformation to be found on golf courses, but getting instruction from them is on a par with handing a broken watch for repair to a blacksmith.

The professional golf instructor should be consulted until such time as the golf student has an established swing and should continue to be consulted whenever the swing develops a fault. The average golfer, who has taken no lessons, or few of them, is more than apt to keep his handicap of a year's standing to the end of his playing days.

And this foreword to the average golfer is the suggestion that he or she begin again under competent instruction.

Playing Final Today for New Soccer Trophy

Rennie & Taylor Knock-Out Cup, Presented to the Victoria and District Wednesday Football League, the Final Game for Which Will Be Played This Afternoon at the Royal Athletic Park With the Tillicums and Rennie & Taylors as the Opposing Teams.

PENALTY GOAL GIVES ESQUIMALT VICTORY

Oak Bay District Eleven Defeated in Fragments Cup Soccer Semi-Final, 3-2

A penalty goal by Allan Wright, inside right of the Esquimalt soccer eleven, gave his team a 3-2 victory over Oak Bay yesterday afternoon at Oak Bay Park, and placed his team in the final for the Fragments Cup. The game, which was played on a perfect field and under ideal weather conditions, drew a good number of supporters, for the better part from Oak Bay district.

The general outrun of the game favored the Oaks, but the defensive work of the winners was particularly brilliant in the first half, and, although the losers staged many dangerous attacks on their opponents' goal, they failed to register.

Neal, fullback for the winners, and DeCosta, in goal, proved to be too much of a stumbling block for the fast Oak forwards.

With about five minutes to the rest period Bichard, centre forward for Esquimalt, put his team one up when he scored at close range on a pass from Evans at outside right. With the conclusion of this half the score remained unchanged.

Early indications of the second half favored the Oak Bay boys, but it was not until after fifteen minutes of play that the equalizing goal was scored.

McInnes was responsible for this counter with a high shot at close range. Shortly after, Montague brought joy to the hearts of the Oaks' supporters when he sent in a hot shot which De Costa fumbled in an effort to clear. This put the eventual losers on the right end of a 2-1 score.

With visions of entering the finals the Oaks were fighting hard for a further advantage, but in vain. Esquimalt at this stage of the game were featuring breakaways and on one of them a foul was committed by the Oaks, resulting in a free kick. Don Warder, centre half of the winners, took the kick and sent the ball through the sticks to tie the count.

The concluding stages of the match saw the winners displaying some fine combination and Wright was through for what would undoubtedly have been a counter, but he was fouled in the penalty area. On the resultant kick he registered the goal that gave his team a much-coveted victory.

The Oaks made a desperate attempt to retaliate but time was too short and with the sounding of the final whistle Oak Bay passed out of the running for the Fragments Cup.

McMillan refereed and the teams were:

Esquimalt—De Costa; Neal and Malsh; Campbell, Warder and Leith; Grey, Wright, Bichard, Wallace and Evans.

Oak Bay—G. Griffin; Genge and Menzies; A. Griffin, Montague and Mearns; Williams, Thompson, Usher, Verley and McInnes.

HORSES FROM MEXICO COMING TO CANADA

CALGARY, Alta., March 29.—R. J. Speers, of Winnipeg, manager of the Prairie Thoroughbred Association, is in Calgary on his return from Mexico. He says more than 200 racehorses are being shipped from Tijuana for race meetings in Canada this season.

Bowling Results On Arcade Alleys

The Eagles trundlers rolled to victory over the United Commercial Travelers in a Commercial League bowling match rolled on the Arcade Alleys. The scores follow:

United Commercial Travelers

B. Sibbald	179	115	156	450
C. Marshall	132	165	147	444
G. Denholm	108	174	122	404
A. Theobald	174	123	112	409
Low score	137	97	116	350
Totals	730	674	653	2057

Eagles

D. Neill	145	135	138	418
G. Foster	179	165	124	468
D. Maxwell	161	159	155	475
T. Neill	137	97	116	350
G. Lapp	155	133	145	433
Totals	777	689	678	2144

Old Country Football

LONDON, March 29.—Football games played in the Old Country today resulted as follows:

English League—First Division

Burnley 2, Sheffield United 5.

Second Division

Grimsby 2, Darlington 1.

Scottish League—First Division

Rangers 2, Hibernians 0.

Maroons Hold Canucks To Tie of One Goal All

Hainsworth Scored Against With Only Two Men Left in Front of Him on Ice—Boston Bruins Swamp Chicago Black Hawks With Six Goals to One—Fredrickson Scores Two

MONTREAL, March 29.—The fury of the renowned Canadien attack crashed on a solid wall here tonight and the Montreal Maroons upset popular opinion by holding the dashing Canucks to a one to one tie. The game was the first of the two-game series, total goals to count, in the semi-final of the Canadian sectional play-offs toward the National Hockey League championship. Thus the two teams will enter the game Thursday night on even terms, and with the complexion of the series considerably changed through the Maroons' great fight tonight.

Canadiens' pressure in the opening period brought a goal three seconds before the bell sounded, when Joliat rattled the puck over Benedict's stick into the net.

Canadiens were put under attack in the middle session as the Maroons fought doggedly on. The Canucks started to buckle and tempers became ruffled. Penalties started to fly and the upshot was that before little more than half the period had elapsed Maroons found themselves with five players to Canadiens three. George Hainsworth rose to great heights in the Canuck goal at this stage. But the odds against him were too great, Babe Siebert finally taking his time to bang the tying goal into the corner of the net.

It was a fast and exciting championship tilt, witnessed by 11,000 fans.

Summary

First period—1, Canadiens, Joliat, 19:57.

Second period—2, Montreal, Siebert, 12:15.

Third period—No score.

Penalties

First period — Stewart, Siebert, Dutton.

Second period — Stewart, Noble, Leduc, Gardiner (3), Dutton, Carson, Joliat.

Third period—Morenz, Munro, Gardiner.

Canadiens	Position	Montreal
Hainesworth	Goal	Benedict
Gardiner	Defence	Munro
Mantha	Defence	Noble
Morenz	Centre	Stewart
Gagne	Wing	Broadbent
Joliat	Wing	Siebert
Lepine	Sub	Phillips
Hart	Sub	Oatman
Larochelle	Sub	Carson
Leduc	Sub	Donnelly
Gauthier	Sub	Dutton
Pangalio	Sub	Rothschild

Boston Too Good

NEW YORK, March 29.—Boston Bruins swamped the Chicago Black Hawks 6 to 1 tonight in the first of their two-game series in the semi-finals of the American section of the N.H.L.

With the exception of the second period, when Fraser scored their only goal, the Hawks were completely outplayed, their defence crumpling under the determined Boston attacks and their offensive finding it almost impossible to penetrate a well-organized Bruin five-man defence.

Fredrickson and Herberts proved the chief cogs in the Boston team's brilliant attacks, but the others were not far behind. Winkler, in the Bruin net, was in fine fettle, but he was given almost airtight support throughout the game.

The Hawks, leading team scorers in the league, were stopped dead on their offensive thrusts by the rugged Bruin rearguard. On the other hand, the Chicago defence at times cracked wide open and Lehman was swamped. He proved unequal to the task and the Bruins found him rather easy to penetrate.

Fredrickson led the Boston team with two goals, while Herberts, Oliver, Cleghorn and Shore each counted one.

Summary

First Period—1, Boston, Fredrickson, 3:24; 2, Boston, Cleghorn, 11:12; 3, Boston, Herberts, 2:01.

Second Period—4, Chicago, Fraser, 9:43.

Third Period—5, Boston, Fredrickson, 8:26; 6, Boston, Oliver, 6:29; 7, Boston, Shore, 2:00.

Penalties

First Period—Trauh, Fredrickson, Hitchman, Shore, Fraser (2).

Second Period—Fraser, Fredrickson (2), Trapp.

Third Period—Cleghorn, Shore, Fredrickson.

The Line-Up

Boston	Position	Chicago
Winkler	Goal	Lehman
Hitchman	Defence	Trauh
Coutu	Defence	Trapp
Fredrickson	Centre	Fraser
Oliver	Wing	Irvin
Galbraith	Wing	Hay
Cleghorn	Sub	Dye
Stuart	Sub	Wilson
Meeking	Sub	McVeigh
Shore	Sub	Dutkowski
———	Sub	Rodden
———	Sub	McKay

Senior Rugby Season Closes on Saturday

THE curtain will come down on the senior Rugby season at the Willows on Saturday when the J.B.A.A., city champions, and the Pirates meet for the Vancouver Island championship at 3 o'clock.

Last week the "Garsmen" defeated the men of the skull and crossbones by 5-0 to retain the Barnard Cup for the ninth successive term. The Pirates, however, defeated the Bays earlier in the season.

Sportive Punches

By the "Old 'Un"

One of the things which used to be very emphatically impressed on the youngster learning the use of a gun was never to shoot unless able to see quite clearly and WITHOUT POSSIBLE DOUBT OF A MISTAKE what he was shooting at.

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And another was never to shoot even when certain of what he was shooting at when there was any risk at all of the shot endangering person or property.

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It seems extraordinary to one who was taught such things which were insisted on with the greatest possible emphasis before he was entrusted with a gun alone that it should ever be considered possible that such a dangerous practice as pit-jamping could be legalized under any conditions. Especially as formerly it was a penal offence.

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The ultimate billet of each slug contained in a charge of buckshot is usually very widely separated from that of each other. The shot spread enormously and range far beyond the rays of a pitlight.

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A SHOT IN THE DARK

(With apologies to the shade of Sir W. S. Gilbert).

I have a song to sing oh!
What is your song oh?
It's the song of a loon when there was no moon
Went out for to shoot a deer oh!
Who took his gun on a dark, wet night,
And put on his head an acetylene light,
And saw two eyes shining oh! so bright,
And aimed between them, and aimed just right,
Then found himself in a terrible plight
As he went for to look at his deer oh!
Dark night! pit light! Fiddle-de-dee!
What did he see?
He saw two eyes, and he aimed just right
When he thought that he shot at a deer oh!

Farmer'd a song to sing oh!
What was his song oh?
'Twas the song of a man who was far from dumb
As he went for to look at his deer oh!
'Twas a song with some B's and a big, big D,
Not a song that is fit for you or me,
A song that was hardly a song of glee,
But more like a howl of miseree,
As the farmer stepped up oh! what did he see
When he looked on the ground for his deer oh?
Dark night! pit light! Fiddle-de-dee!
Calamitee!
The farmer'd a cow, BUT HE'S GOT NONE NOW.
ONLY BEEF THAT HE THOUGHT WAS A DEER OH!

[T. O. 'U.]

FOOTBALL MEETING CALLED TONIGHT

L.I.F.A. Will Make Effort to Show That They Have Acted in Good Faith

In order to leave the air clear and to remove any possible misapprehension as to the way they have handled the affairs of the Lower Island Football Association during the last season, this board has called a public meeting for tonight at 8 o'clock at the K. of P. Hall, North Park Street.

Charles V. Millon, president of the L.I.F.A., will occupy the chair.

The calling of the meeting is the direct result of the decision handed out and sustained by the British Columbia Football Association, suspending the officials and five players of the Victoria City Club. Members of the L.I.F.A. consider the action of the Provincial body unconstitutional and unjust.

The president of the local body and his colleagues are of the opinion that they have acted correctly in the matter of the Victoria City Club.

League Appeals

It is understood that the Pacific Coast League has appealed the decision of the B.C.F.A. to the Dominion Football Association on behalf of the Victoria City team.

DATE IS FIXED FOR BASEBALL OPENING

Sons of Canada and Eagles Will Play in First Game of May 7 at Royal Athletic Park

The 1927 baseball season will be ushered in locally on Saturday, May 7, when the Sons of Canada and the Eagles meet at the Royal Athletic Park at 3 o'clock.

On the following Monday the United Commercial Travelers and the Birdmen will play. The league schedule, which was adopted at a meeting of the league held in the Y.M.C.A., calls for thirty games. In the early part of the season the teams will play on Mondays and Thursdays, but before the schedule is very far advanced the fans will be given a chance to sit in on three games a week for three weeks.

Y.M.C.A. Basketball

Three very interesting basketball games take place tonight at the Y.M.C.A., the feature being the senior A game between the Native Sons of Canada and the First United, Island champions.

The first game commences at 7:30 o'clock between the Y.M.C.A. Leaders and the Sons of England, City League champions in the senior B league.

At 8:15 the Victoria High School entry will play the Victoria Machinery quintette.

Sunday School Basketball

Church Teams to Close Season by Staging Annual B.C. Championships—Start Saturday

The local Sunday School Athletic Association will close its activities this season with the annual playoffs for the British Columbia championships in seven divisions, commencing next Saturday night at the Victoria High School gymnasium. Victoria's Sunday School teams have done remarkably well this season and have already won several titles. The First United senior men annexed the Island championship with a brilliant win over their closest rivals from Jordan River. The Firsts then went to Vancouver in quest of the British Columbia open championship and only lost out to the King Edward Old Boys by a very close margin after leading through the first three quarters of the game.

Fidelis, senior girls, also captured the Island honors with wins over the Nanaimo Rinkydinks and the Victoria Comates. Then they met the Vancouver Canucks in a two-game series for the British Columbia title. The Canucks won the opening game, but the local girls came right back and took the second by a single point. However, the championship went to the Canucks on total points for the series.

The Greys have a very speedy team in the boys' intermediate A division and will meet the Mainland Sunday School for the Provincial title. The Capitols are the local representatives for the intermediate B boys' division and will meet Vancouver St. Giles in the finals.

Axioms captured the Island title by winning from Spencers, winners of the City League. The girls have a hard game on their hands, however, when they meet St. Mark's, Vancouver, senior B winners and reported as a wonderfully fast team.

Fairfields are the local intermediate girls' champs and have already met the Felixes in the British Columbia open play-offs. On this occasion they lost, 21-12. Whether these two teams will play again for the Sunday School title has not been definitely decided.

Sunshine from the First United captured the junior girls' honors and will play Vancouver next Saturday night at the High School.

The First United junior boys will uphold the honor of Victoria against the invaders from the Mainland.

The first contingent from Vancouver will arrive next Saturday night. The First United Meteors of Vancouver will tackle the First United seniors of Victoria. This game should prove highly exciting and, judging by the showing made by the locals in the British Columbia open play-offs, Victoria should have a good chance of keeping the championship at home.

The following is the championship programme for Saturday night:

Thompson Cup finals — Victoria High School vs. Vancouver winners.

Junior girls' championship of British Columbia—Sunshine vs. Vancouver.

Men's senior A championship of British Columbia—First United seniors vs. Vancouver.

FORTS FAVORED TO WIN ALLAN CUP

Go Into Tonight's Game With One Goal Lead—No Change in Teams From Last March

VANCOUVER, March 29.—With a one-goal advantage hanging from their belts, the Fort William hockey team naturally is tonight a slight favorite among local fans to lift the Allan Cup and the Dominion amateur championship. The wise fraternity, however, figures that there is so little between the Forts and the Grads that the latter are due for a win, and that in the third game of the series the luck of the sport will guide the Queen City boys to victory. At any rate, the Grads are determined to demonstrate to the fans that they are not through as contenders for the silverware.

Bob Armstrong, Forts' manager, seems confident. "We are going right back Wednesday night with the firm intention of ending this series," he said. "The boys don't feel like playing another game, that's all. The Grads are too tough a bunch of performers to take any chances with," he said. These Grads play wonderful hockey and we're not discounting the fact," Bob commented.

With the exception of Dave Trotter, who was badly used up last night, the Grads are all in good shape. Both teams will place the same line-up on the ice for tomorrow night's game, it was stated.

The Grads will find plenty of support from the fans tomorrow, and as on the two previous occasions, a capacity house will again be on hand.

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Soccer Notes From The Local Fields

In winning the semi-final for the O. B. Allan Cup and the junior championship of British Columbia the Ex-High United have placed junior football to the front in this city and have no doubt given the up-Island and Mainland champions something to think about.

It is understood that in consequence of this achievement local soccer fans will be given the opportunity to witness the final, which will be played here in the near future. It is to be hoped for the benefit of the game, the players, and the sporting public generally that a much larger crowd will witness this event.

The juniors are playing a good brand of soccer. These boys who played on Saturday and defeated the Nanaimo Owls might some day be playing for the senior Provincial title. The senior players of tomorrow are the juniors of today. Victoria has proved that she is on the map by the recent achievement of the Ex-High United, and it is to be hoped that when the final is played here the fans will break all attendance records to give the boys the support which they certainly deserve.

Midweek soccer fans who have been witnessing Rennie & Taylors eleven in action for the last few weeks, will no doubt admit that the Bays put up a strong fight against the Bakers last week in the Rennie & Taylor knockout cup series, though losing by 3-0.

The Departmentals, who were strengthened by the inclusion of Webber at centre half and Shrimpton in goal, were a vastly different team from that of a few weeks ago.

The Tillicums, who will meet the Bakers in the final for the Rennie & Taylor Cup today, defeated the Navy 3-2 in an overtime battle at Beacon Hill last week. Woolsey, playing fullback for the clubmen, was the outstanding player, and played one of the finest games at fullback seen here for a long time.

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NANAIMO PLAYING VICTORIA TONIGHT

High School Basketball Teams in Action for Vancouver Island Championship

The Nanaimo boys' basketball team will be in town this afternoon and will prepare for their big game with the Victoria High School in the semi-final round of the Thompson Cup and the championship of Vancouver Island, which is to be staged this evening at the school gymnasium. The visitors are bringing down their strongest team, and are hoping to take the championship home with them. The team is not a heavy one, but the lads are reported to be very fast and play a good heady game. They were forced to the limit to win the upper-Island honors, and were closely pressed all the way by the Ladysmith High School. In the final game these two teams battled into overtime before the Nanaimo outfit came through on the long end of the count.

The Victoria boys are in the best of shape for the battle, and are confident they will hand their opponents a beating and so win the right to play Westminster Saturday night for the Provincial championship and the Thompson Cup. The following will be the line-up of the local squad:

Centre, Joe Ross; forwards, Tommy Forbes, Pete Turgoose, Alex Cudlip and Ted Barbour; guards, Alan Lemarquand and Harry Webster.

The game will start sharp at 7:15, and will be refereed by Ralph Thomas. The students are again reminded that all those carrying this year's athletic cards will be admitted to the game free. The general public is extended a very cordial welcome.

COAST BALL LEAGUE STARTS ANOTHER YEAR

Opening Scores Are Sacramento 10, Hollywood 1; Oakland 3, Missions 2; San Francisco 5, Portland 2

SACRAMENTO, March 29.—Sacramento's Senators opened the Coast League baseball season here today before a capacity crowd of 12,000 persons by decisively trouncing the Hollywood Stars, 10 to 1.

"Lefty" Vinci, youthful portsider of the Senators, was just wild enough to be mighty effective. While he walked six men he whiffed three more and kept his eight blows unusually well scattered.

Shellenbach pasted one over the left field wall for a homer in the ninth and Hollywood's only tally.

Score—	R.	H.	E.
Hollywood	1	8	5
Sacramento	10	14	1

Batteries: McCabe and Murphy; Vinci and Severeid.

OAKLAND, March 29.—Oakland opened the season in an impressive manner today by defeating the hard-hitting Missions 3 to 2. Bob Hasty started on the mound for the Oaks and blanked the San Francisco club for seven innings, only to be driven to the shoreyard in the next frame, when the visitors scored two runs and three hits. Jimmy Reese, second baseman for the Oaks, turned in a good day at bat with three out of three. Dick Wade, Missions' right fielder, had three hits in four trips to the plate. Two were doubles.

Score—	R.	H.	E.
Missions	2	11	0
Oakland	3	6	0

Batteries: Pillette and Walters, Whitney; Hasty, Delaney, Krause and Baker.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.—Approximately 12,000 persons saw the San Francisco Seals drub Portland 5 to 2 in the opening game of the Coast League season here today. The Beavers went into the lead with one tally in the first inning, but the Seals piled up two in the next frame and were never headed after that. Earl Kunz twirled great ball for the winners and except for two occasions had the Portland outfit tamed.

Score—	R.	H.	E.
Portland	2	9	2
San Francisco	5	9	0

Batteries: Kinney and Yelle; Kunz and Agnew.

At Los Angeles—
Seattle-Los Angeles—rain.

Grads Beat Canucks

EDMONTON, March 29.—Commercial Grads defeated the Vancouver Canucks, 34 to 20, here tonight in the first of a two-game series for the Western Canada ladies' basketball championship. The Grads took an early lead and were never in danger, although the Coast girls put on a big spurt in the third period which netted them nine points to six for the Canadian champions.

The winner of this series will go east to meet the best in that section for the Dominion title.

"Bob" Whyte Again Heads Y.M.C.A. Tennis Club

"Bob" Whyte will head the Y.M.C.A. Tennis Club for the second successive season. At last night's meeting the members selected this veteran of the game as their chairman. Other officers elected are: Honorary president, H. B. Witter; vice-president, W. Erickson; secretary, S. Hill; ground committee, W. Peden, Douglas Park and Claud Robinson; social committee, Misses Hamilton, Pegrum and Moffatt.

It was decided that play would commence immediately. All of last year's members are requested to signify their intentions for the coming season.

Roller Hockey Results

Results of roller hockey games played last night were as follows:

Foul Bay Cougars 4, Capitols 1.
Saanich Rovers 4, Comets 2.
Victoria Wests 8, Fernwood Falcons 2.

Protest From Owls

NANAIMO, March 29.—The management of the Nanaimo Owls football team is protesting the game played at Victoria on Saturday last, on the grounds that the Victoria team failed to present the referee with the names of the players before the game started.

Today's Radio

Programme of Principal Broadcasting Stations

By Courtesy of Radio Doings

Pacific Time Stations

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (329.5m)—8 a.m., New York stock quotations. 6:40 p.m., Box office review. 7:35, West Coast information service. 9, Programme by courtesy of Minty & White, electrical dealers. 8:45, His Worship Mayor Pendray will talk on the Proposed By-Law; Mr. Joseph Rose will also speak.

CNRV, Vancouver, B.C. (399m)—10 p.m., Programme of popular dance music by the Cabaret Belmont Orchestra, playing direct from the Rose Room of the Hotel Belmont, Vancouver, B.C.

KFOA, Seattle, Wash. (384m)—12 m., 12:15 p.m., Local produce news. 12:30-1:30, Rotary Club luncheon programme from the Olympic Hotel. 2-2:30, Homemakers and Shoppers' Bureau. 6-7, Harper-Magee "Kolster Quartette." 7-8, Hugh Baird's Ford-O'Crat Entertainers. 8-9, Peerless Motor Co. Trio.

KOMO, Seattle, Wash. (306m)—12:15 p.m., Totem Chorus, old songs. 12:30, Totem Concert Trio, 2, C. J. Syllaasen, bass; P. J. Cerrubba, clarinet; Edith Grav, soprano; mixed quartette; George Rognvoy, 'cello; Alexander Wallace and C. J. Syllaasen, duet. 5:15, Richardson Bros' children's entertainment. 5:45, Stock, bond and grain quotations. 6-7:30, Totem Concert Orchestra. 8, National Farm Radio Council talk. 8:15, Totem Broadcasters, "Opening the Mail"; popular songs, Fred Richardson. 8:30, Totem Concert Orchestra. 9, Totem Concert Orchestra. 9:30, Totem Concert Orchestra; vocal duets, Doug and Fred Richardson. 10-12:30, Totem Broadcasters, Totem Dance Orchestra and Doug Richardson.

KGO, Oakland, Cal. (361m)—6:55-7:25 p.m., News, weather, produce, grain, cotton, metals, stocks. 9 (San Francisco Studio), Farm programme; music by W. O. W. Male Trio. 8:20, An interview with the Agricultural Economist. 8:30, W. O. W. Male Trio. 8:40, Address, "Recreational Functions of California's Forests," by Chas. G. Dunwoody. 9, W. O. W. Male Trio.

KFSG, Los Angeles, Cal. (275m)—2:30-5:30 p.m., Divine healing service. 6:30-7:30, Angelus hour. 7:30-9:30, Regular midweek prayer service.

KFWO, Avalon, Cal. (211m)—12:30-2 p.m., Hotel St. Catherine Orchestra. 6:30, Hotel St. Catherine Orchestra and rebroadcasts. 8-9, Rebroadcast of KNX programme. 9-11, Studio programme.

KHQ, Spokane, Wash. (394.5m)—9-10 p.m., Maxwell House Coffee programme from KGW.

KFI, Los Angeles, Cal. (467m)—5:30 p.m., Sebastiani Cotton Club Orchestra. 6-15, Radioterial period. 6:30, Programme by the Silvertone Ladies' Quartette. 7, Ray Fisher's Original Victorians' Dance Orchestra. 7:30, Nick Harris, detective, will continue his detective stories and talks on "Why Crime Does Not Pay." 7:45, Helen Guest, ballad singer, in a fifteen-minute recital. 8, James Burroughs, tenor, in a programme by the California Petroleum Corp. 9, Gleaner Quartette. 10, Programme of classic music.

KNX, Los Angeles, Cal. (337m)—4 p.m., Edward Murphy in "What Have You." 6, Optimist Male Quartette. 6:45, The town tattler. 6, Biltmore Hotel Orchestra. 6:30, Yale Radio Battery Orchestra. 7, Orthophonic Victrola. 7:30-10, Feature programme. 10, Gus Arnheim's Cocoanut Grove Orchestra. 11, Gus Arnheim's Cocoanut Grove Orchestra.

KPO, San Francisco, Cal. (428m)—1-2 p.m., Rudy Seiger's Fairmont Hotel Concert Orchestra. 2:45, Baseball game at Recreation Park. 4:30, Palace Hotel Concert Orchestra, Cyrus Trobbe, director. 5:30, Stock quotations and general information. 6:30, Stains Restaurant Orchestra. 7, Rudy Seiger's Fairmont Hotel Concert Orchestra. 8-9, Programme by the Atwater Kent Artists. 9-10, Musical programme by the San Francisco Mandolin Orchestra. 10-11, Stains Restaurant Orchestra. 11-12, Billy Long's Cabirians at Cabiria Cafe.

KFRC, Oakland, Cal. (536m)—6 p.m., One hour of sacred songs.

KOWW, Walla Walla, Wash. (285m)—7-8 p.m., Service hour. 8-9, Gardner & Co. 9-9:30, Bandix Music Shop. 9:30-10, Inland Printing Co.

KDYL, Salt Lake City, Utah (246m)—6 p.m., Shoppers' guide. 7, Studio programme. 8, Popular programme. 8:15, Dave Phennig and Victorians. 9, Dick Foresciutt's Cabaret Band.

KFQZ, Hollywood, Cal. (226m)—6-7 p.m., Panatrope dinner hour. 7, Clint Stevenson's Trio, Ed Poor, and Helen Boyd. 8, Bob Buckner and his Sole Killers, and Art Goodstein. 9, Yellow Jackets, Honeywell Twins, Virginia King, accompanied by Mable King, and Jack Goode.

KJBS, San Francisco, Cal. (220m)—8:30-7 p.m., Dinner concert by Red Top Cab Co. Jazz Orchestra, intermissions by Fred Dittmar, Maybell Ahern, Herb Walker, and Freda and Lois, harmony singers.

KYA, San Francisco, Cal. (329.5m)—6:30-7:30 p.m., Sollie Heilbronner's Cliff Hotel Concert Trio. 8-9, Lenten services from Old St. Mary's Church. 9:30, Studio programme. 10-11, Herb Meyerink's Cliff Hotel Dance Orchestra.

KFRC, San Francisco, Cal. (268m)—4 p.m., Harkness Mark Hopkins Concert Orchestra. 5:20, Mac and His Gang. 6:25, Stage, screen and police reports. 6:30-7, Cecilian Trio. 7-7:30, "Puss" Donnahoe and his orchestra. 8-10, Studio programme with KFRC Trio, and Jung McClelland, mezzo-soprano, Gertrude Zillel, pianist, and John Sheehan, tenor. 10-12, Eddie Harkness' Mark Hopkins Dance Orchestra.

KGW, Portland, Ore. (491m)—4-7 p.m., Dinner concert. 7-7:15, Utility service. 8-9, Concert by the Seventh United States Infantry Band. 9-10, Concert by Maxwell House Coffee Orchestra and Lucille Kirtley, soprano, simultaneously with KFOA, Seattle, Wash., and KHQ, Spokane, Wash., and presented by Cheek-Neal Co.

KHJ, Los Angeles, Cal. (305m)—4-6:30 p.m., KHJ Concert Trio and J. Walter Leopold. 6:30, Children's hour. 7:30, Scripture reading. 7:40, Dr. Mary Baumgardt. 8-9, News items and studio programme. 9-10, Sewlyn Harris studio programme. 10-11, Jinnistan Vale Orchestra.

KFSD, San Diego, Cal. (245.8m)—6-7 p.m., Nightly musical review. 7, Wilshire's Tonsco Co. 7:30, Concert programme. 8:30-10, Request programme. 10-11, U.S. Grant Hotel programme.

KFWI, San Francisco, Cal. (250m)—6-7 p.m., Announcements. 7-7:15, Sports, police and weather reports. 8-8:20, Stanley Painter, baritone, Clem Kennedy, pianist. 8:20-8:30, Becker Storage programme featuring the Becker Storage tenor. 8:30-9, The Ionians. 9-10, "Hawaiian Hour," featuring Paul's Hawaiians. 10-12, Paul Kelli's Trovators Orchestra, intermissions by Clem Kennedy, pianist; Bert Lamotte and Russell McNiel, and others.

KOIN, Portland, Ore. (319m)—5:15-6 p.m., Topsy Turvy Time Club, for children. 6-7, Dinner concert on the Heathman Hotel pipe organ by George Olsene, concert organist. 7-7:20, "What to Do and Where to Go": suggestions for amusement, with puzzle word contest. 8-9, KOIN Radio Players, under the direction of Miss Jean Macaulay. 9-10, Studio programme. 11-12, Jerry Reed's Dance Orchestra from the Green Mill.

KFWB, Hollywood, Cal. (252m)—5 p.m., Children's period by Big Brother. 5:40, Talk, "Physiology and Psychology of Beauty," Georgia O. George. 6, Dinner hour concert. 7, Sunshine by Charles W. Hamp. 7:30, Dick Coburn, popular song writer. 7:50, Daily news items. 8, Ward Hill, blues songs; June Parker, blues songs; Glen Edmunds and his Collegians. 9, Ernest Burley, tenor; Marguerite LaGrand's String Trio. 9:50, Daily news. 10, Rainbow hour from the Rainbow Isle Room of the Mayfair Hotel. 11-12, Henry Halstead and his orchestra.

CJCA, Edmonton, Alta. (517m)—6:15 p.m., Children's programme. 6:45, News and announcements. 7, Auction, bridge game. 7:30, "Radio Interference," J. J. Dobry. 8-9:30, Special commercial programme. 10-11:30, Old Time dance programme by J. E. Fromant and G. T. Hart.

KFON, Long Beach, Cal. (232m)—6 p.m., Request period, by Clarence and Doris. 6:15, KFON Concert Orchestra. 7, Texas Cowboys in old-time dance music. 7:30, Long Beach Municipal Band. 8, Talk, "The Woman and the Law," by Herbert Middleditch. 8:15, Long Beach Municipal Band. 9, Pacific Coast Club Orchestra. 10, Merchants' musical programme. 11-12, Pacific Coast Club Orchestra.

KTAB, Oakland, Cal. (362.8m)—4:15-6:45 p.m., Twilight hour. 6:45-7:30, Shopping tour. 8-10, Studio programme.

KLS, Oakland, Cal. (508m)—5:30-7 p.m., Athens Athletic Club Orchestra. 7-7:30, News broadcast. 8-9, Educational programme. 9-10:30, Special programme.

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Publicity Bureau Gives Reasons for Appropriations Being Ample, Illustrating Practical Results

Twenty thousand dollars was the grant decided upon by the City Council last night in considering the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau vote in committee of the estimates. Another $5,000 will be given the bureau, providing it can raise a similar amount by public subscription.

Prior to the meeting of the Council last night Mayor Pendray and aldermen met directors of the Publicity Bureau at a dinner, where Mr. R. H. B. Ker outlined to the aldermen some of the direct and indirect results of the bureau's activities.

After outlining the advertising schemes that the Victoria bureau had entered upon, Mr. Ker went on to give results. As a result of one advertising scheme in California the bureau had received 1,000 inquiries from two advertisements. This was the campaign conducted by the Puget Sounders and the British Columbia Publicity Association, and which Victoria contributes to. The campaign had been started one month earlier this year and 1,000 inquiries had been received from this source alone as against 2,100 for the whole of last year.

Mr. H. R. Leech, who had invested so heavily in Victoria real estate, was attracted to Victoria by Publicity Bureau advertising in California, Mr. Ker stated.

One hotel in this city reported 1,900 more room days last February than in the same month of last year as a result of the city's advertising on the Prairies and other parts of the continent. Registrations of two other hotels, which were mentioned, were up twenty-five per cent and all rooms taken despite extensions to the buildings. The better type hotels, Mr. Ker stated, employed a total of 1,200 people. A large portion of these jobs were made possible by the tourist business. Mr. Ker told of the list of 300 apartments and rooming houses in this city that the bureau had at its office. Practically all the rooming houses were full this Winter. In an attempt to secure a suite in a centrally heated apartment the bureau discovered that the apartments were 100 per cent full.

One large hotel spent $750,000 in supplies alone in Victoria last year, while another spent $69,000 in supplies during the tourist season. Golf clubs had to extend their club headquarters because of the increased number of guests, while a Mr. Lyons, of California, had been attracted to the city, and had already invested $75,000 in a new apartment and proposed investing some $250,000 in more apartments. To give an illustration of the way in which the bureau's publicity secured results, he told of how Mr. Lyons bought eight electric refrigerators and eight electric stoves for one of his apartments. Every one directly benefits by the bureau's work, Mr. Ker stated. It was estimated that tourists alone left $3,000,000 in Victoria last year, not to mention the money invested by visitors who had been attracted to Victoria for investment purposes, and to settle down here.

Mr. George I. Warren read several letters which had induced people to come to Victoria and invest. Mr. Alexander, who is connected with the Holsum Products Company, was one of them.

Mrs. Hutchinson, from the Prairies, is to build a $25,000 apartment house at the corner of McClure and Quadra Streets. Mr. Percy Fox is preparing the plans. A new $90,000 apartment house is to go up on Newport Avenue.

The City Council will recommend to the directors that a public meeting be held to outline its work to the citizens.

With the Ex-Service Organizations

In Victoria and District

Social Evening

The Britannia Post of the Canadian Legion of the B.E.S.L. were hosts at a "social evening" held in Foresters' Hall, Cormorant Street, last night, when upwards of one hundred ex-service men and their friends were present.

A programme to which some of the leading artists of the city contributed their talent, was enjoyed.

At the conclusion of the entertainment refreshments were served in the dining-room by the members of the Post. Afterwards dancing was indulged in.

ISLAND RIDING WILL NOMINATE TOMORROW

Mr. C. F. Davie, M.P.P., of Duncan, Spoken of as Likely Candidate for Cowichan-Newcastle

The nominating conventaion of the Conservatives of Cowichan-Newcastle riding will be held in Ladysmith tomorrow commencing at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. The riding is at present represented in the Legislature by Mr. C. F. Davie, of Duncan. There is every prospect that he will again be the unanimous choice of the party to contest the seat at the next election, whenever it may come.

No other name has been mentioned in connection with the nomination, and in many instances the delegates have been instructed to support Mr. Davie as candidate.

COUNCIL DECIDES TO BUY CRAIGDARROCH PROPERTY ON INSTALLMENT SYSTEM

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Provincial Government, and the remainder of the purchase price carried over into 1928.

Ald. Marchant expressed the opinion that it was a good buy and pointed out that the Government was making a generous grant. He opposed the scheme of buying the building on terms. The city had to levy some twenty-five mills to pay for the interest and sinking fund investment on back debts. "Shall we perpetuate that bad system?" he asked. He urged that the property be paid for this year.

Mayor Pendray pointed out to the Council that the purchase of this property would only add that much more to the tax burden of the citizens. He figured out that the city would be better off if it paid $300 a month rent than if it bought the property. He outlined his deduction and then went on to say that "owing to the fact that we have a surplus on hand we are getting too free with our money. It is not self-supporting at the present time and is not an ideal building for a school. It may be a bargain, but is it a bargain for school purposes?

"If we hope to reduce the mill rate or even strike the same mill rate as last year, we will have to cut the estimates by $87,000 and you talk about putting them up $25,000," he stated.

The amendment to Alderman Brown's motion was then put. This was to purchase the property on terms. The motion carried five to four. Those voting in favor of it were Mayor J. Carl Pendray and Aldermen Harvey, Holmes, Mara and Litchfield. Aldermen Brown, Adam, Marchant and Dewar opposed it.

Alderman Adam opposed the motion on the grounds that he thought the matter should be put to the people in the form of a by-law. He voiced his opinion in this connection when discussi.n arose as to the advisability of putting a by-law to the people. The fear was expressed that the by-law would not pass. Alderman Adam stated that if there was any doubt about the question then the people should be asked to vote upon it.

FANCY FAIR WILL OPEN TOMORROW

UNDERTAKING AT ARMORIES, UNDER CITY TEMPLE AUSPICES, TO RUN THREE DAYS

Mayor and Mrs. Pendray, Mr. Hayward and Mr. B. C. Nicholas, Respectively, Will Officiate

Tomorrow will be the grand opening day of the fancy fair at the Armories, and following the formal declaration of the fact by His Worship and Mrs. J. Carl Pendray at 2:30 the cornucopia of pleasure will be turned over and its contents scattered for all to enjoy.

Never has a greater undertaking of the kind been organized in Victoria. For weeks between 600 and 700 men, women and young people have been working in preparation for the event, and to supply the stalls and eating places and "lucky dips" with things to meet the demand which it is confidently believed will be made upon them, scores of private houses have had, perforce, to be converted into warehouses in which the articles are stored.

In addition to the long avenues of shops which will be housed under the Armories roof, there will be endless side shows and entertainments, Punch and Judy shows, tombolas, estimating competitions, motion pictures, fifteen fortune-telling booths, a huge British Columbia products stall (supplied by the British Columbia Manufacturers' Association), a big white elephant stall, and a continuous dancing and dramatic entertainment. On the stage there will be as many as eighty dancers at a time in some of the bigger "divertissements."

The hall has been entirely transformed and brought under a uniform scheme of decoration. Weeks ago the various stall holders met and agreed upon decorative motifs for their respective booths which would harmonize with this general scheme and at the same time leave them some play for individual taste.

Not the least of the attractions will be the refreshment arrangements. A large refreshment room, in which the visitor can find something at any hour of the day to suit his palate, is fitted with buffet and tea booths. The viands are all prepared, whether for cold "snacks," a more elaborate meal or a dainty tea.

Visitors will find a check room, where heavy coats may be left, and an information room.

There will be a military band every evening, and this will give more than a cold commercial interest to the tour of the trade exhibits which constitute a feature of the fair. Among the firms which are represented are the B.C. Electric Company, Messrs. Hawkins & Hayward, the Owl Drug Company, the Albion Stove Works, Weiler's, Foxall's, the Auto Electric, Jim Bryant's Radio Electric Shop, Malkin's, Lemon Gonnason's and numerous others.

The white elephant stall is another special feature. This, it should be noted, is stocked with beautiful articles, many of them sent from far afield in response to the radio broadcasted appeals. The sorting, ironing, marking, pricing and arranging of this collection has occupied workers for some months, the Ladies' Business Club, the Ladies' Aid Society, the choir, the ushers, the Sunday School, the school of religious education and the C.G.I.T. (under the direction of Mrs. Hammond) all lending a hand.

The fair will be formally opened each afternoon. His Worship the Mayor and Mrs. Pendray will officiate this afternoon, Mr. Reginald Hayward tomorrow and Mr. B. C. Nicholas on Saturday.

Not Thought Necessary

OTTAWA, March 29.—The Canadian Government has not considered it necessary to issue any special instructions to Canadian citizens in China, Premier King said in the House of Commons this evening.

Important Notices, Employment, Business and Professional Directory, Wants, Etc.

The Daily Colonist

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1 BIRTHS

NEWPORT—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on March 25, to Mr. and Mrs. R. Newport, a daughter.

PALMER—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on March 25, to Mr. and Mrs. Allan G. Palmer, a daughter.

4 CARDS OF THANKS

The family of the late Mrs. A. Britton wish to thank the many friends for the kind words of sympathy and for the beautiful floral offerings sent in their sad bereavement in the loss of a loving mother; also the nurses of the Royal Jubilee Hospital for the kindness shown during her lingering illness.

5 IN MEMORIAM

DAVIS—In ever loving memory of our beloved sister, Gladys Syre Davis, who fell asleep March 30, 1926.

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10 COMING EVENTS

AFTERNOON court whist, W.H.A. Junior, will be held this week Friday, 2.15, 1230 Government Street.

BEST dance of the season, Sons of Canada basketball team, Wednesday, March 30. Pitt's orchestra. Tickets 50c.

C.P.R. Social Club—Dance, Empress Hotel Ballroom, Thursday, March 31, 8.30 to 11.00. Ozard's Orchestra. 50 cents.

DANCE, Marigold Hall, Wed., March 30, 9 to 12.30 p.m. Melodiene' Orchestra. Admission 50c. Refreshments.

DANCE, Naval Barracks, Friday, April 1, 8 o'clock. Ladies 25c, gents 50c. Everybody welcome.

LUXTON Hall dance, Friday, April 1, 9 to 1. Pitt's orchestra. Admission 50c.

RUMMAGE sale at St. Mary's Hall, Yale Street, Oak Bay, at 2:00 p.m., April 2.

WHIST drive (special), Thursday, at 1330 Government St., auspices K. & D.O.T.T. Ten prizes, first prizes, two 50 lbs. sugar; other prizes as usual.

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38 TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS

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40 FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

40D FURNITURE

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Phone 2847 105 Pemberton Bldg.

BEAUTIFUL EIGHT-ROOMED HOME BARGAIN

THIS house stands on two exceptionally large lots, with tennis court, lawn, and garden of small and large fruits and studded with oaks and ornamental trees. The house itself has living-room, dining-room, den and reception hall, all with hardwood floors, open fireplace in living-room and den. Full-sized cement basement with furnace, laundry tubs and extra toilet. For full particulars phone us.

FAIRFIELD BUNGALOW

SIX ROOMS; large living-room with open fireplace and hardwood floor. French doors lead into a very pretty dining-room with hardwood floor. Dutch kitchen with breakfast nook and plenty of built-in cupboards and bins. There are three good bedrooms with closets, separate toilet, bathroom with tiled floor and latest modern fixtures. There are many features about this lovely little home that will appeal to a buyer. It is practically new, and has very fine electric fixtures, large windows, garage, beautiful location, and can be inspected any time. Immediate possession can be given. For price, etc., phone

GILLESPIE, HART & TODD, LTD.
611 Fort Street Phones 3040-3041
Victoria, B.C.

WELL-SITUATED five-roomed house, standing in 15.33 acres of good land, part of which is good black soil, well suited to bulb, seed growing, or chicken farm, with an ever-running stream on property. Barn, stable, etc., all in excellent order. Close to station, stores, church, postoffice, Badminton clubs. Price reduced to $6,750. This is a first-rate buy.

C. WALLICH
Real Estate and Insurance Agent
Cowichan Station E. & N. Ry.

MUST BE SOLD

WE have on 2-room house in Fairfield, FULLY FURNISHED, which is being practically given away. Oak floors in dining, living-room and hall; fireplace in living-room and den; full concrete basement with laundry trays and extra toilet; hot air furnace and gas; good garage. There is a mortgage of $2,600, which can be assumed. How much cash will you offer over the mortgage?

J. A. WALKER & CO., LTD.
620 Fort Street Phone 1433

ANDREWS' SNAPS

$850—SMALL cottage; half acre, apples, pears, plums, cherries, good garden. Cottage partly furnished, bed, dresser, oak dining table and six chairs, Brussels carpet. Some garden tools. $100 cash.

$1100—TOLMIE AVE.—Four-room, full plumbing. Large lot, fruit trees, etc.; chicken houses for 200 birds. Cash $500.

$2750—SNAPPY new stucco bungalow, four rooms, cement basement, furnace. Deep lot with fine oaks. Splendid locality. Clear title. $400 cash, balance to suit.

$3300—2443 BLACKWOOD AVENUE—Attractive five-room bungalow, garage. Absentee owner wants best offer. A healthy locality, with a fine view.

$6000—WATERFRONTAGE—New 7-room stucco bungalow, two large granite fireplaces, French doors, polished floors, all built-in effects. Lot 82½ by 420 feet. Look this over.

704 B.C. Permt. Loan Bldg. Phone 2733

$1300—CASH or Terms—Bungalow, two rooms, basement, water, light, phone. Three lots, logans and other fruits; fenced and cultivated; new garage. Mount Tolmie.

$3700 CASH — Double-fronted store, modern living quarters, cement basement; garage. Counters, fittings and scales included. Property is quite new and a decided snap.

PATTERSON REALTY, 623 Yates

GOOD HOME BUYS

$2500—FAMILY home of eight rooms, on close-in corner. Once very valuable and will be again.

$4200—CAN BAY stucco of five rooms, on two nice view lots. $1,000 cash.

$700—FIVE-ROOM house, with garage, just off North Douglas. $150 cash.

$3800—SEVEN-ROOM stone house with bath and full basement. Barn and poultry house. Almost an acre. Just outside city. Half cash.

ALDER & SONS, LIMITED
Phone 2013 812 Broughton Street

OAK BAY BUNGALOW
$4000

6-ROOM, well-built, modern, up-to-date bungalow, nice location, south of Oak Bay Avenue and step to car. Entrance hall to all rooms, double living and dining-room, open fireplace, built-in features, arms nice panelling in dining-room; two good bedrooms, convenient bathroom, den, and kitchen with separate

80 PROPERTY FOR SALE (Continued)

BUILD your home amid the oaks on charming Craigdarroch Road. We offer choice lots near Joan Crescent very cheap and on easy terms. Avery Kevedoner, 124 Pemberton Bldg. Phone 1220.

FOR Sale, cheap—A lot on Ruby Road, Gordon Head. Apply John Lewis, R.M.D. 4, Arbutus Avenue.

GOOD building lot, 1 block south of Oak Bay Avenue; handy cars, beach and school. Priced, for immediate sale, at

$700

VICTORIA REALTY CO.
615 View Street | Phone 3033

IF you are contemplating building we have a few choice lots in Oak Bay which are ideal sites.

ST. PATRICK STREET. Listing 74	$400
ST. DAVID STREET	$725
ST. PATRICK, close to sea. Listing 75	$400
WILMOT PLACE. Listing 73. Two lots for	$700
DEAL STREET. Double lot	$1000
BOWKER AVENUE. Two lots for	$750
HALF ACRE, TRANSIT ROAD	$1000
GLADSTONE AVENUE	$350
BEACH DRIVE. Seafrontage	$1500

For prices on lots in Uplands see us.

B.C. BOND CORPORATION, LTD.
1203 Government St. Phones 348-342

ATTRACTIVE BUILDING LOT IN OAK BAY

NORTHWEST corner of St. Louis and McNeill. 110 feet on St. Louis and 55 feet 2 inches on McNeill.

PRICE $600

Terms Arranged.

R. P. CLARK & CO., LTD.
Corner of Broad and View Streets

80E ESQUIMALT

THE best commercial waterfront site at Esquimalt car line terminus for sale cheap. Leaving city. Brentwood Grill, Victoria.

83 ACREAGE FOR RENT

TO Rent—About 7 acres pasture. Phone Gordon Head 137.

12 ACRES, 4-room bungalow and other buildings, $15 per month. F. F. Higgs, 208 Pemberton Bldg.

85 FARMS FOR SALE

FAVORITE ELK LAKE DISTRICT
Within easy distance of city on paved road
MAGNIFICENT VIEWS

OWNER instructs us to SELL. The price is right. The location is excellent. See this property if you are looking for a DELIGHTFUL, MODERN SEVEN-ROOM BUNGALOW, standing on high ground of three acres of cleared land. Numerous fruit trees, shrubberies and a holly-lined drive, which gives dignity to the approach. Four bedrooms, bathroom, drawing-room, dining-room, excellent offices, and outbuildings. Electric light, furnace, double garage. A rare opportunity to obtain a really high-class property at the bargain price of

$6000

VICTORIA REALTY CO.
615 View Street Phone 3033
"RELIABLE REALTORS"

$2,425—Four acres, Albert Head. Good mixed orchard; poultry houses for 300 birds. Nice four-room house, with water laid on. Furniture, crockery, farm and garden tools, brooder and poultry equipment included in the above absurdly low price. F. F. Higgs, 208 Pemberton Bldg.

87 FARMS WANTED

FARM LANDS. If you have raw or improved farm land in Saskatchewan to sell, write to L. B. Hess, Diesmore, Saskatchewan.

82 ACREAGE FOR SALE

PEMBERTON & SON

LAKESIDE HOME

4.86 ACRES. FRUIT AND POULTRY RANCH, GOING CONCERN. Buildings in first-class condition. Dwelling four spacious rooms, modern bathroom, concrete basement. About 300 flourishing fruit trees, small fruits; 250 chickens, tools, general furniture.
Taxes $18 ..... $7500

RESIDENTIAL WITH A REVENUE

WITHOUT DOUBT THE BEST KEPT SIX-ACRE SMALL FRUIT AND ASPARAGUS PROPOSITION IN SAANICH. RIVER RUNNING CREEK. SPLENDID SOIL. A MODERN FIVE-ROOMED NEW AND PLASTERED HOUSE, CEMENT BASEMENT, MODERN BATH AND TOILET. SPLENDID BARN FOR SIX HEAD, FULL OF HAY. SMALL CHICKEN HOUSES AND SMOKE HOUSE. CLOSE TO SCHOOL, BUS, BEACH. UNDER-DRAINED BEARING FRUITS. TAXES ONLY $8. TERMS AT $5500

SMALL HOLDINGS

1 ACRE of good soil, intensive cultivation, high situation, with six-roomed house, three bedrooms, full basement; five plastered; verandas back and front. Electric light, city water. Taxes $16. Two chicken houses, workshop, small barn, young fruit trees and small fruits. Five miles out on main road. Terms $3000

5 ACRES, all cleared, best of soil. City water, light. Quite close. Three-roomed house in first-class condition, and outbuildings. Small fruits. Terms $2500

1 ACRE, with three-roomed house, cottonwood lining, city water installed. Half acre cleared, half in woodland. Gordon Head district. Partly furnished $1250

NEW FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW ON ISLAND HIGHWAY

2.09 ACRES, nearly all cleared. Some good soil. There is a good water supply laid on to the house from a well. This property is only quarter of a mile from a station. There are conveniences such as telephone, and in a short while in all probability electric light. PRICE (terms) $950

PEMBERTON & SON
Phone 355 Established 1887 325 Fort St.
Members Victoria Real Estate Board

ACREAGE—1,880 acres at $10.00 per acre. Alfred Carmichael & Co., Limited, 1210 Broad Street. Phone 5370.

BULBS, LARGE AND SMALL, FRUITS. Seven acres improved land, the finest soil in the district. A live, producing proposition, close to Royal Oak. Sacrificing at $2,500. Absolutely the best bargain on the market. Exclusively by R. G. Christy & Co., Ltd., 623 Fort Street, Victoria.

BEAUTIFUL waterfrontage on Sooke Harbor, road and telephone through property; light clearing, unencumbered title; cheap. "Sunny Hill," R.M.D. 1, Royal Oak, Vancouver Island.

$800—NORTH SAANICH—$832

NINE residential acre of an acre and three-quarters, overlooking sea and mountains.
SPARLING
At Deep Cove Tel. Sidney 102Y

PRE-EMPTIONS—Can locate several good claims in Lillooet district, close to railroad. Good soil, splendid sheep and cattle country. Apply Locators, 302 Central Bldg.

$1,300—Must be sold immediately, 4¾ acres, waterfront on Langford Lake, with a charming 4-room modern bungalow, with water laid on. All nice large plastered rooms, with a fine fireplace in the sitting-room. Furnished and ready to occupy. Much below value. Terms arranged. F. F. Higgs, 208 Pemberton Bldg.

$1000—VERY beautiful half acre of waterfront on Constance Avenue, nicely treed. Very good homes.

HALF ACRE lovely beach, in a nice bay, beautifully treed. Nearly three-quarters of an acre adjoining with lovely beach. The two would make one of the choicest homesites on Vancouver Island waterfront. Price for the two, $3,000.

Wellburn V.I. REALTY CO.—Archer
1209 Broad Street Phone 1716

82 ACREAGE FOR SALE (Continued)

MONEY TO LOAN AT CURRENT RATES

We Have Extensive Listings of
SMALL AND SPACIOUS HOMES, IMPROVED FARMS, FRUIT LANDS, BUSINESS PROPERTY, ETC.

WATERFRONT PROPERTIES

LANGFORD LAKE—13 acres with 4-room bungalow, containing bathroom, basement, garage, etc. Portion of land is cleared, balance light brush; good soil. Waterfrontage is excellent and very nicely treed. PRICE $2,500. CONVENIENT TERMS.

GOOD FISHING SPOT

SAANICH ARM, on the Malahat side, almost opposite Mackenzie Bay—18½ acres with 4-room cottage, with splendid supply of water. New this spot may be rightly called a "Salt Water Fisherman's Paradise." Grilse run in abundance, also salmon. Would make an ideal Summer home and a Winter retreat for hunting. We offer this for only $3,500. CONVENIENT TERMS.

ANOTHER SECLUSIVE SPOT

GLEN LAKE—2.35 acres, facing south, and "facing south" means plenty of sun. We will dispose of this for $600. CONVENIENT TERMS.

SOOKE HARBOR

THREE ACRES, with four-room dwelling. One acre cleared. Fifteen minutes from store, etc. Water laid on. PRICE $1,065. CONVENIENT TERMS.

CORDOVA BAY

VERY LARGE LOT, with 4-room cottage, on the best part of Cordova Bay. Water laid on. Beautiful sandy beach. If you're looking for a Summer place, we advise your buying this now. Price only $2,800. CONVENIENT TERMS.

B.C. LAND & INVESTMENT AGENCY, LTD.
Homes—Lots—Acreage—Farms
922 Government Street Phone 125

86 FARMS FOR RENT

60 ACRES, 23 cleared and 10 slashed. Well situated, two miles from a town. ONE ACRE BLACK CURRANTS, ONE ACRE RASPBERRIES, ONE AND A HALF ACRES TREE FRUITS. Municipal water. $300 cash, balance easy terms. In all $2000

PEMBERTON & SON
625 Fort St. Established 1887. Phone 355

FARM TO RENT ON LEASE

8 ACRES, Keating district. Finest soil throughout, fenced, mostly cleared; 3 acres in small fruit. Good house of four rooms. Barn for 10 head, carious outbuildings. Good water, also light. Close to school. With furniture, tools, cow, horse. $35 a month.

PEMBERTON & SON
Phone 355 Fort Street

TENDERS

TENDERS for immediate purchase and removal of large greenhouse now situate on Lot 11, at corner of Prospect Place and San Carlos Avenue (Oak Bay) will be received by Gordon A. Cameron, Solicitor, 203 Union Bldg., Victoria.

THE VICTORIA LUMBER & MANUFACTURING COMPANY, LIMITED

Notice Is Hereby Given that the annual general meeting of the above named company will be held at the head office of the Company, No. 218 Government Street, in the City of Victoria (the office of Bodwell & Lawson), on Tuesday, the 5th day of April, 1927, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of receiving and dealing with the annual balance sheet of the company and the auditor's report thereon, electing the directors of the company and appointing the auditors of the company for the ensuing year, and such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 1st day of March, A.D. 1927.

A. E. STUBBS,
Assistant Secretary

LAND ACT

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Foreshore, Etc.

In Cowichan Land District. Land Recording District of Victoria, and situate on Shingle Bay, North Pender Island.

Take notice that the Pender Island Fish Products, Limited, of Victoria, B.C., occupation fish company, intends to apply for a lease of the following described foreshore, etc.:

Commencing at a post planted on the shore on the east side of Shingle Bay, about 22 chains northwesterly from the south boundary of Section 12, thence westerly 7½ chains; thence northerly 7 chains; thence easterly 8½ chains; thence southeasterly following high water mark to the point of commencement, and containing five acres more or less.

PENDER ISLAND FISH PRODUCTS, LIMITED,
H. E. Whyte, Agent.

Dated 15th February, 1927.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY
GRADING TENDERS

Tenders will be received until twelve o'clock noon, April 9, 1927, for all work in connection with grading a branch line railway known as the Moose Jaw Southwesterly Branch (Mazstone West), approximately sixteen miles.

Form of tender, plans, profiles and specifications may be seen at:
District Engineer's Office, Moose Jaw;
District Engineer's Office, Calgary;
District Engineer's Office, Vancouver;
And at Room 387, C.P.R. Station, Winnipeg.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

T. C. MACNABB,
Engineer of Construction,
Winnipeg.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM DAVID OWEN, DECEASED

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the Estate of William David Owen, who died at the City of Victoria, B.C., on the 5th day of February, 1927, and probate of whose will has been duly granted, are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims to the undersigned on or before the 30th day of April, 1927, after which date distribution of the assets of the said Estate will be made having regard only to the claims of which the Executors have then had notice.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 23th day of March 1927.

ROBERTSON, HEISTERMAN & TAIT,
Of Suite 1, Bank of Montreal Building, Victoria, B.C., solicitors for the Executors of the Estate of William David Owen, deceased.

Canadian Company Buys Nitinat Lake Cannery

SEATTLE, March 29.—Sale of the Nitinat Lake Cannery on the West Coast of Vancouver Island to the Gosse Packing Company, Limited, of Vancouver, was announced here today by Seattle stockholders of the Nitinat Lake Packers of British Columbia. The cannery specializes in cohoes and chum salmon. The price was understood to be about $250,000.—A. W. R. WILBY, Agent.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

Mariners are hereewith notified that the gas buoy marking the entrance to Kyuquot Sound and Channel Rock gas beacon at the entrance to Kyuquot Village are reported not Burning. These will be attended to as soon as possible.

E. & N. RAILWAY SCHEDULE

Trains leave Victoria at 9 a.m. and 4:55 p.m. daily for Wellington and way points.

The 9 a.m. train runs through to Courtenay and Port Alberni daily except Sunday.

Returning, the trains arrive Victoria at 10:50 a.m. and 5 p.m.

For further information apply E. & N. Ticket Office, phone 1594, or District Passenger Office, phone 1370.

MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

M'KINLEY SAILS WITH BIG CARGO

PART OF AFTER DECK USED TO MAKE ROOM FOR LARGE FREIGHT OFFERINGS

Vessel Is Making First Trip in New Joint Dollar-American Mail Line Service

On her first voyage out in the joint service of the Dollar-American Mail Lines service, the steamship President McKinley, Captain A. O. Lustie, left port last night at 6 o'clock for Japan, China and the Philippines. Before returning to Victoria again the McKinley will make a complete circuit of Oriental ports, proceeding from Yokohama to San Francisco, thence back to the Orient on her return trip here.

The McKinley was loaded to capacity for her trip out; in fact, to make room for some of her freight, the aft decks had to be used. In all, 9,200 tons of freight were on board. Her passenger list was light, there being twenty-eight cabin and some 200 steerage. Forty steerage passengers boarded the ship here, and 120 bags of mail were loaded.

Automobiles, flour and machinery made up the bulk of her cargo, but there was a heavy consignment of general northwest products.

Department to Be Divided Into Two Separate Branches

OTTAWA, March 29.—The Department of Marine and Fisheries is to be divided into two branches, the Marine Branch and the Fisheries Branch. A resolution preliminary to a bill providing for this change has just been placed on the Order Paper of the House by Premier King.

The proposed legislation is based on one of the recommendations contained in the Duncan report.

Captain and Crew of Clackamas Indicted

NEWARK, N.J., March 29.—It was reported here today that Captain J. A. McDonald and twenty-six members of the crew of the Canadian ship Clackamas, of Nova Scotia, were named in an indictment returned today by the Federal grand jury at Trenton.

It was reported they were charged with landing 10,000 cases of whisky and 250 cases of liquor at Newark.

Toyama Maru Arrives Twelve Hours Ahead

Inbound from Japan and China, the N.Y.K. freighter Toyama Maru, reached the Outer Docks this morning at 2:30 o'clock, twelve hours ahead of schedule. The ship brought in 152 tons of mixed Oriental freight and sixty-six bags of mail for discharge here. Seattle cargo amounted to about 3,000 tons, including a valuable shipment of raw silk. The vessel cleared for Seattle after unloading here.

Paris City to Load Lumber Cargo Here

To load about 600,000 feet of lumber, the steamer Paris City, of the Sir William Readon Smith Line, will arrive at Ritbet's Outer Wharves Monday.

Weather Report

Estevan — Overcast; northwest, light; 30.20; 44; light swell.

Pachena — Overcast; northwest, light; 30.07; 46; smooth.

Cape Beale—Part cloudy, southwest, light; 30.00; smooth.

Carmanah — Cloudy; west, light; 30.05; light swell.

Prince Rupert—Rain; southeast, light; 29.68; 40; smooth.

Alert Bay—Overcast; calm; 30.00; 42; smooth.

Motorship Aorangi May Dock Tomorrow Night on Trip Up

ALTHOUGH no definite advices have been received from the R.M. Ms. Aorangi, which is due at this port Friday from the Antipodes, officials of the line state she may reach port Thursday night. The ship is the fastest of the Canadian-Australian fleet and generally docks one day ahead, providing fair weather is met. The Aorangi is making her first run after undergoing an extensive overhaul and refitting. She is bringing in a large passenger list and heavy cargo to this port.

HEAD STUFFED FROM CATARRH OR A COLD

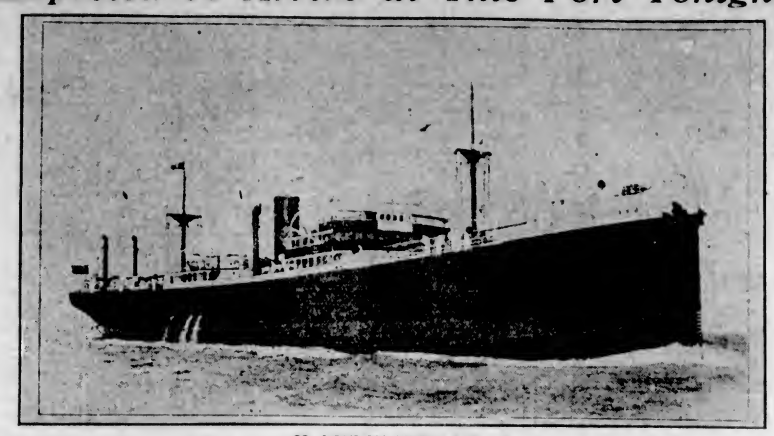
Says Cream Applied in Nostrils Opens Air Passages Right Up.

Instant relief—no waiting. Your clogged nostrils open right up; the air passages of your head clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffling, blowing, headache dryness. No struggling for breath at night; your cold or catarrh disappears.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic, healing cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothes the inflamed or swollen mucous membrane and relief come instantly.

It's just fine. Don't stay stuffed-up with a cold or nasty catarrh. (Advt.)

Expected to Arrive at This Port Tonight



SS. LONDON MERCHANT

Plying in the service of the Furness-Pacific Line, which is expected to make the Outer Docks tonight inbound from the United Kingdom, via Canal and Pacific Coast ports. The liner is bringing in eleven passengers, nine of whom will leave the ship at this port. Cargo for Victoria amounts to 300 tons, composed chiefly of steel plates, cement, liquor and general merchandise. She will sail for Vancouver after unloading here.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

SEATTLE, March 29.—Arrived: Horace X. Baxter, Portland; Admiral Peary, Brookdale, San Francisco; Northwestern, Iowan, Tacoma; West Carmona, Vancouver. Sailed: Knoxville City, Portland; Dorothy Alexander, Arabia Maru, Protesilaus, Tacoma; President McKinley, Kobe; Chickasaw City, Everett; Munomo, San Francisco; Derblay, Port Ludlow.

CORDOVA, March 29.—Sailed: Yukon, southbound.

PORTLAND, March 29.—Arrived: Point Sur, Mobile; Rose City, Los Angeles; Pennsylvanian, Boston; Ryder Hanify, San Francisco; Shasta, Hoquiam. Sailed: Kewanee, San Francisco.

TACOMA, March 29. — Arrived: Dorothy Wintermote, San Pedro; Protesilaus, Dorothy Alexander, Seattle; Griffco and barge Riverdale, Stewart, B.C. Sailed: Dorothy Alexander, Seattle.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.—Arrived: Willsolo, Baltimore; Siria, Antwerp; Pacific Commerce, Portland; Kentucklan, Boston; Julian Poulson, Astoria; Paul Luckenbach, Everett; Melville Dollar, Ruth Alexander, Seattle; President Jefferson, San Pedro; Jacox, Port Angeles; Daisy Putnam, San Diego; Northland, Bellingham. Sailed: Claremont, Solano, San Pedro; Standard Service, Emma Alexander, Seattle; Shinyo Maru, Hong Kong.

Arrived

HONG KONG, March 28.—President Pierce, San Francisco.

YOKOHAMA, March 27.—Tindareus, Seattle.

TSINGTAO, March 28.—West Farralon, San Francisco.

MARSEILLES, March 24.—Leme, San Francisco.

AUCKLAND, March 26.—Waitemata, Vancouver; 28th, Niagara, Vancouver.

Sailed

YOKOHAMA, March 26.—Ajikasan Maru, San Francisco; 25th, West Nomentum, Portland.

NEW YORK, March 29.—Virginian, San Francisco.

PANAMA CANAL, March 28.—Margaret Dollar, San Francisco.

WIRELESS REPORT

(Estevan, 8 p.m. unless otherwise stated.)

Canadian Rover, Ocean Falls to San Pedro, 1,091 miles from San Pedro.

Hurryon, Chemainus to San Pedro, 24 miles south of Cape Flattery.

J. A. Moffatt, bound San Pedro, 900 miles north of San Francisco.

Erie Maru, Yokohama to Port Ludlow, arrive at Port Ludlow morning of March 30.

STEAMER ARRIVALS

Canadian Aviator at Antwerp from Saint John.

Canadian Conqueror at Brisbane from Halifax.

C.G.M.M. MOVEMENTS

Canadian Highlander, en route from Chemainus to Kingston and British ports; arrive Kingston March 30.

Canadian Importer, discharging San Pedro; thence San Francisco and Victoria.

Canadian Beaver, en route from San Francisco to Vancouver; arrive March 25.

Canadian Seigneur, en route Norfolk to Antwerp.

Canadian Ranger, en route from Victoria to Halifax and Montreal; arrive Halifax April 18.

Canadian Transporter, loading Glasgow; sails March 23.

Canadian Winner, loading Vancouver; sails for Montreal April 2.

SHIPPING CALENDAR
To Arrive

Protesilaus, from Orient, March 24.
Empress of Asia, from Orient, March 27.
President Lincoln, from Orient, March 28.
Toyama Maru, from Orient, March 30.
London Merchant, from United Kingdom, March 30.
Aorangi, from Australia, New Zealand and Honolulu, April 1.
Noorderdyk, from United Kingdom April 6.
President Cleveland, from Orient, April 11.
Taitnyblus, from Orient, April 12.
Kaga Maru, from Orient, April 13.
Arizona Maru, from Orient, April 16.
Empress of Canada, from Orient, April 17.
London Shipper, from United Kingdom, April 17.
President Pierce, from Orient, April 25.
Niagara, from Australia, New Zealand and Honolulu, April 29.
Africa Maru, from Orient, May 1.
Achilles, from Orient, May 2.

Departures

Alabama Maru, for Orient, March 23.
Shidzuoka Maru, for Orient, March 23.
Yokohama Maru, for Orient, March 31.
Arabia Maru, for Orient, April 5.
Aorangi, for Honolulu, New Zealand and Australia, April 6.
Protesilaus, for Orient, April 7.
Empress of Asia, for Orient, April 9.
President Lincoln, for Orient, April 12.
President Cleveland, for Orient, April 26.
Kaga Maru, for Orient, April 27.
Empress of Canada, for Orient, April 25.
Arizona Maru, for Orient, May 3.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS
MARCH, 1927
China and Japan

President Madison — Mails close March 1, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama March 13; Shanghai, March 17; Hong Hong, March 30.

London Maru—Mails close March 7, 11 p.m. Due at Yokohama March 24.

Tyndareus—Mails close March 10, 12 noon. Due at Yokohama March 25.

President Jackson — Mails close March 15, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama March 27; Shanghai, March 31; Hong Kong, April 3.

Empress of Russia—Mails close March 19, 5 p.m. Due at Yokohama March 31; Shanghai, April 5; Hong Kong, April 8.

Alabama Maru—Mails close March 23, 5 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 7.

President McKinley—Mails close March 29, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 10; Shanghai, April 14; Hong Kong, April 17.

Yokohama Maru — Mails close March 31, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 16.

Australia and New Zealand

Sonoma—Mails close March 7, 4 p.m. Due at Syndey March 31.

Niagara—Mails close March 9, 6 p.m. Due at Auckland March 28; Sydney, April 2.

Makura—Mails close March 20, 4 p.m. Due at Wellington April 11; Sydney, April 16.

Ventura—Mails close Mrach 28, 4 p.m. Due at Sydney March 21.

Shipping Information

TIDES AT VICTORIA

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14	3:31	8.7	8:16	7.3	19:38	6.0	18:43	3.7
15	3:14	8.6	8:43	7.4	13:11	7.0	19:43	3.8
16	4:22	8.3	9:26	3.3	13:06	7.6	20:24	3.3
17	4:34	8.0	3:21	3.3	13:03	7.3	20:28	3.3
18	5:00	7.3	8:34	2.5	14:07	7.4	21:01	3.3
19	4:03	7.0	10:19	3.3	16:33	7.3	21:23	4.5
20	4:11	7.0	10:54	4.6	16:21	7.0	22:27	5.1
21	4:36	7.3	11:33	4.4	17:31	3.3	23:43	6.0
22	4:43	8.0	13:15	4.0	18:31	4.7	23:03	6.3
23	4:46	8.1	13:07	3.3	.....	3.0	.....	6.3
24	4:39	6.4	10:23	6.3	.....	.....	.....	.....
25	5:10	6.7	14:31	3.0	.....	.....	.....	.....
26	5:47	6.3	16:46	3.4	.....	.....	.....	.....
27	3:46	6.6	16:45	3.4	.....	.....	.....	.....
28	7:31	6.8	17:33	3.3	.....	7.7	.....	7.7
29	3:21	7.3	5:47	7.3	10:08	8.1	18:33	3.3
30	3:04	7.6	6:44	3.0	11:33	8.0	19:13	3.4
31	3:20	7.0	7:18	3.6	13:03	8.1	19:39	3.7

The time used is Pacific standard, for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of lower low water.

Esquimalt—To find the depth of water on the sill of the dry dock at any tide, add 16.0 feet to the height of high water as above given.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET
MARCH

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of March, 1927.

	Sun-rise	Sun-set		Sun-rise	Sun-set
1	6:02	5:57	17	5:32	6:27
2	5:33	5:58	18	5:30	6:28
3	6:01	6:00	19	5:28	6:29
4	6:00	6:01	20	5:26	6:30
5	5:57	6:03	21	5:24	6:32
6	5:55	6:04	22	5:22	6:33
7	5:53	6:05	23	5:20	6:34
8	5:51	6:07	24	5:18	6:41
9	5:49	6:08	25	5:16	6:42
10	5:46	6:09	26	5:14	6:43
11	5:44	6:10	27	5:12	6:44
12	5:42	6:11	28	5:10	6:45
13	5:41	6:12	29	5:08	6:46
14	5:39	6:13	30	5:07	6:48
15	5:37	6:14	31	5:05	6:49
16	5:35	6:15			

REDUCTION IN FERRY SERVICES DISPLEASES

Publicity Bureau Will Make Representations to Puget Sound Navigation Company

The Puget Sound Navigation Company has arranged its schedule of Summer ferry services to give connection with Victoria and the rest of Vancouver Island operating through the ports of Anacortes and Bellingham by way of Sidney. Consideration of the schedule, which has been submitted by Mr. Joshua Green to the Publicity Bureau, was given by the latter body at a meeting yesterday afternoon.

In several particulars the arrangements proposed for this year do not meet with the approval of the local bureau. The first objection is the date upon which it is proposed to bring service into effect. This has been set for May 28 instead of on April 9, the opening date last year.

Another objection has reference to the arrangements for the connection by way of Anacortes which, it is contended by the local people, is the more popular route. Under the arranged schedule a ferry will leave Sidney at 8 o'clock in the morning and proceed to Bellingham, leaving there again at 12:30 o'clock in the afternoon for the return trip to Sidney.

As far as the Anacortes service is concerned, the schedule provides for the ferries leaving Sidney for that point at 1:30 p.m. and 4:30 p.m., while the return trips will be made by ferries leaving Anacortes at 9:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Effect of Change

The complaint of the local body is that while in the past there has been a ferry service with Anacortes leaving in the forenoon, under the proposed schedule this will be eliminated and the trip to Anacortes cannot be made until the afternoon.

This route, by way of Anacortes, for those who wish to make the trip to Seattle or south of this latter city is the popular one. It, however, gains its popularity from the fact that by means of a ferry service that crosses in the forenoon the tourist is able to get to Seattle early in the evening instead of late at night. An effort will be made to have Mr. Green make a change in the schedule so that this feature of a morning ferry from Sidney to Anacortes may be restored.

Another complaint that will be raised will be that of the late ferry run from Anacortes which will bring the tourists across the intervening water way during the night and drop them in Sidney about midnight, which will be so inconvenient that it is felt by the members of the bureau that this trip will receive very little patronage except in cases of necessity.

Reduction of Service

Authority was given the president of the bureau, Mr. R. H. B. Ker, to communicate with Mr. Green and present the views of the bureau on this subject. This will be done at once.

The present ferry service provides the necessary morning service from Sidney to Anacortes.

It is pointed out that while last year there were five ferry services across from Sidney, the prospective schedule will only give three. Last year there were two services between Sidney and Bellingham, while this year there will be only one. On the other hand there were three services a day between Sidney and Anacortes, while this year there will be only two.

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JAPANESE EXPORTS DOWN IN FEBRUARY

Excess of Imports Was 26,000,000 Yen Last Month, Says Monthly Commercial Report

Foreign trade of Japan for the month of February showed a decrease of 26,000,000 yen from that of last year in import excess owing chiefly to the decline in import values, says the monthly commercial report received by the local Japanese consulate. The recent earthquake in the district of Tango had no noticeably bad effect on the foreign exchange market. As the demand for money declined, the note circulation and the amount of the loans and advances decreased greatly. The tone of the monetary market is very quiet.

Trade is gradually improving in general and the charter market is turning to activity after the long depression. Although liquidation of a small bank is reported, the indication of the general financial improvement is remarkable, the report continues. The recent fusion of small banks and the consolidation and amalgamation of the manufacturing companies in the lines of woolen, textile, flour mills and linen weaving are indicative of the progress of the adjustment and improvement of the industrial circles.

The excess of imports over exports last month was 46,000,000 yen as against 83,000,000 yen for February, 1926. February imports amounted to 181,000,000 yen, while exports were 135,000,000 yen, while the figures for the same month last year were 243,000,000 yen and 160,000,000 yen respectively.

Japanese exchange was quoted at New York at $.49 on March 10 and $.48¾ on February 10, while the London quotation on the former date was 24¼ pence on the latter date—a year ago the quotations were $.45 and 24 1-10 pence respectively.

Export of raw silk was 31,917 bales last month against 25,400 bales for the same month last year. The price this month is given as 149.70 yen against 143 yen for February, and 192.30 yen for February, 1926. Cotton yarn export last month was 13,000 bales while the cotton cloth export amounted to 80,000,000 yards. The transpacific rate on lumber on March 10 was $10.75 against $9.50 on February 10.

Yokohama Maru to Sail For Far East Tomorrow

The N.Y.K. liner Yokohama Maru will arrive at this port tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock from Seattle on her way out to the Far East. Before leaving the ship will take on several passengers, mails and a small consignment of freight. She will leave about 5:30 p.m.

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Finance and Commerce

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POWERFUL INTERESTS MARK UP PRICE OF GROUP OF RAILS AND INDUSTRIALS

Other Stocks Show Declines—On Bond Market Italian Issues Centre Interest

NEW YORK, March 29.—Irregularity in price movements developed in today's stock market, but powerful financial interests sponsoring a group of high-priced rails and industrials, nevertheless, succeeded in marking them up to new high records.

United States Steel common touched a new top at 166¾, General Motors at 182¼, Commercial Solvents "B" at 298½, Delaware and Hudson at 199½, Baltimore and Ohio at 115¾, and Rock Island at 88½.

On the other hand, American Brown Boverie, Electric Refrigeration, Dodge Brothers "A" and preferred, and the Wilson Company issues sank to new low levels for the year.

Revival of activity and strength in the Missouri Pacific rail issues was accompanied by rumors that plans were under way to clear up the accumulation of dividends on the preferred. Chesapeake and Ohio lost ground today.

Call money renewed at 4½ per cent and held steady at that figure all day. Time money and commercial paper unchanged.

Total sales, 1,906,700 shares.

While prices contiqued to display strength in the bond market today, chief interest centered in the activity on the new City of Rome 6½s, issued and listed on the New York Stock Exchange this morning. These bonds were in heavy demand at a premium of a point over the issue price of 91. Simultaneously there was brisk buying of Italian government 7s and Italian public utilities credit 7s.

(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
Amerada Corpn.	31-2	31	31
Allis Chalmers	56-5	54	56-5
Allied Chemical	143-5	139-4	143
Am. Beet Sugar	35-4	31-4	32-4
Am. Bosch Mag	15-4	15-4	15-4
Am. Can.	46-4	45-7	46
Am. Car & Fdy.	48-1	48-1	48-1
Am. Locomotive	111	110-4	111
Am. Smelters	104-7	145-4	115-4
Am. Steel Fdy.	48-1	48-1	48-1
Am. Sugar	81-1	81-3	81-3
Am. Sum. Tob	53-3	51-7	53
Am. Tel. & Tel.	167-3	166-2	166-5
Am. Tobacco	125-5	125-3	125-3
Am. Tobacco "B"	125-5	125-3	125-5
Am. Woolens	30-5	28-5	28-4
Anaconda	47	46-4	46-7
Armour "A"	15	13	13
Atlantic Gulf	58-3	56-3	56-5
Atchison	186-4	178	178-4
Baldwin Loco	157-7	155-3	157-7
Baltimore & Ohio	115-5	114	115-5
Bethlehem Steel	53-3	53-1	53-4
Brooklyn Manhat	66-4	66-4	66-4
California Pack'g.	65-2	65-1	65-1
California Pete.	25	24	24
Canadian Pacific	184-5	184	181-0
Central Leather	5-4	5-4	5-4
Cerro De Pasco	42-4	42-4	42-4
Chesapeake & Ohio	165-5	162-4	163-3
Chic. Gt. Western	18-3	18-3	18-3
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	14	13-5	14
Chic. & Northwest.	81-5	81-5	81-5
Chic. R.I. & Pac.	88-4	87-4	87-5
Chrysler Motor	41-2	40-5	40-6
Coca Cola	192-7	192	192-5
Colo. Fuel & Iron	40-4	39-3	40
Columbia Gas	89-5	85-1	85-3
Cons. Gas	97-4	97-3	97-5
Cont. Can.	46-7	46-7	46-7
Cont. Oil	19-3	19-3	19-3
Cont. Motor	13	13	13
Corn Products	84-5	83-5	83-3
Crucible Steel	81	81	81
Cuba Am. Sugar	25	25	25
Davison Chem.	29	29	29
Del., Lack. & West	102-4	101	101
Dodge Bros.	20-4	19-5	19-5
Dodge Bros. pfd.	76-5	76-4	76-4
Dupont Powder	221-5	216-4	219-4
Elec. Power	19-5	19-4	19-4
Elec. Refrigerator	24-5	23-5	23-5
Engineer Gold	3-4	3-4	3-4
Erie	46-5	46	46
Erie 1st pfd.	55-4	55-4	55-4
Famous Players	108-5	106-5	107-0
Foundation Co.	56	55-2	56
General Asphalt	85-1	83-1	83-1
General Cigar	77-5	77-5	77-5
General Electric	38-4	35-3	35-3
General Motors	123-5	116-4	182-3
Goodrich Rubber	54-1	54-1	54-1
Granby	68-5	68-1	68-5
Great North. Ore	28-5	28-4	28-4
Great North. pfd.	36-7	36-5	36-5
Gt. West Sug.	114-3	111-4	114-2
(Gulf States Steel	81-2	81-2	81-2
Houston Oil	163	161	151-9
Howe Sound	65-7	63-6	65-4
Hudson Motor	76	62-2	63-1
Hupp Motors	21-4	21-0	21-0
Illinois Central	136-4	134	135-4
Imperial Oil	47	46-5	46-5
Inspiration	30	30	30
Int. Comb. Eng.	55-5	51-0	52
Int. Pete	31-4	31-4	31-4
Int. Mer. Marine	7-5	7-2	7-2
Int. Mer. Mar pfd.	40	38-4	38-4
Int. Nickel	40-4	40	40
Int. Tel. & Tel.	183-4	181-6	182-3
Kan. City South.	41-5	40-4	41-3
Kennecott Copper	52-7	46-6	51-7
Lehigh Valley	119	116	116
Louisiana Oil	15-4	15-4	15-4
Louis. & Nash.	134-4	131-4	134-4
Mack Truck	106	105-5	105-5
Manhattan Elec.	60	60	60
Marland Oil	50	49-4	49-5
Mex. Seaboard	7-5	7-2	7-2
Miami	15-5	15-1	15
Mid. Cont'nt Pete	34-4	34-4	34-4
Miss. Pacific	53-4	53	53-3
Miss. Pacific pfd.	105-2	101-4	103
Montana Power	93-7	92	92-7
Montgomery Ward	45-4	44-4	44-4
Moon Motor	9	8	8
Motor Meter	38	38	38
Motor Wheel	27-3	25-4	25-6
Nash Motors	54	52-4	52-5
National Biscuit	113	111-5	111-4
Natl. Cash Reg	45	44	44
Natl. Dairy Prod.	77	77	77
National Lead	193	193	193
Norfolk & West	178-4	178	178-2
North American	48-4	47-2	47-4
Northern Pacific	87	86-5	86-5
N.Y. Central	148-1	145-3	146-3
N.Y., N.H. & Hart.	41-2	40	40-4
N.Y., Ont. & West.	28-3	28	28
Packard Motor	34-3	34-3	34-0
Pan American	44	44	44
Pan American "B"	64-2	62-6	63-1
Pennsylvania R.R.	55-4	55-5	55-2
Pere Marquette	115	119	119
Phillips Pete	49-5	49-1	49-5
Pierce Arrow	31	31	31
Producers & Ref.	23-0	23-4	23-4
Pullman Co.	177-4	177-4	177-4
Pure Oil	34-5	34-3	34-5
Radio	46-5	47-4	47-6
Ray Cons.	16-1	16-1	16-1
Reading	110-5	109-3	109-4
Rep. Iron & Steel	71-4	70-4	70-5
Royal Dutch	51-5	49-4	49-4
Savage Arms	65-4	62-1	62-1
Schulte	48-5	48-5	48-5
Sears Roebuck	54-5	54-4	54-5
Shell Union	18-7	18-7	18-7
Sinclair Cons.	17-5	17-3	17-4
Sloss Sheffield	131-4	131-4	131-4
Southern Pacific	113	111-4	112
Southern Railway	124-4	124-4	124-4
Standard Gas	57-5	57-2	57-5
Standard Oil, Cal.	56-4	56-3	56-4
Standard Oil, N.J.	57-2	57	57
Standard Oil, Ind.	67-4	67-4	67-4
Stewart Warner	58-4	58-3	58-4
St. Louis & S. Fran.	112	111-0	111-4
Stromberg Carb.	58-0	56-6	56-6
Studebaker	53-5	53-3	53-7
Tennessee Copper	11-2	11-2	11-2
Texas Co.	48-4	44-4	44-4
Texas Gulf Sulphur	61-5	60-4	60-7
Texas Pacific R.R.	66	64-4	69
Texas Pac C. & O.	16-0	15-5	15-5
Timken Roller	38-4	38	38-4
Tobacco Prod.	104	103-1	103-0
Tobacco Prod. "A"	113	113	113
Union C's & C's	131-3	131	131-2
Union Oil of Cal.	50	49-4	49-5
Union Pacific	171-5	170-5	170-5
U.S. Cast. I. Pipe	317	316-4	317
U.S. Ind. Alco.	72	70-3	71-4
U.S. Rubber	82-4	81-1	81-4
U.S. Steel	166-7	165-5	166-5
Universal Pipe	58-0	56-0	60
Vanadium	33-7	33-4	33-1
Wabash	71-7	70-4	70-4
Western Pacific	27-5	27-5	27-5
Westing. Elec.	74-3	73-4	74-3
White Motor	50-4	50-1	50-1
Willys-Overland	22-1	21-5	21-5
Woolworth	137-4	137	137-7
Worth. Pump	38-2	38-0	38-0
Wrigley Jr. & Co.	97-7	96	96-7
Yel. Trk & Coach	26-4	26	26-4
West. Air Brake	188	182-4	184
Intl. Harvester	139-4	138-2	138-0
Victor Talking	38	38	38

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, March 30.—Foreign exchanges easy. Quotations in cents:
France—3.91¼; cables 3.91¾.
Italy—4.37¼; cables 4.38.
Belgium—13.89¾.
Germany—23.76.
Holland—38.97½.
Norway—18.96.
Sweden—26.77½.
Denmark—20.68½.
Switzerland—18.70.
Spain—14.03.
Greece—1.29.
Poland—11.40.
Czecho-Slovakia—2.59.
Jugo-Slavia—1.76.
Austria—14.12½.
Rumania—.68.
Argentina—42.38.
Brazil—11.87½.
Tokio—46.12½.
Shanghai—41.25.
Montreal—100.12½.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, March 30.—Demand 485¼; cables 485 95-32; 60-day bills on banks 481 9-16.

At Victoria

Buying 483¾; selling 484¼.

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Industrials	Bid	Asked
Centrifugal	.14¾	.15
Checker Cab	.04	.05
Durant Del.	.14½	.14¾
Hupp	.18½	.19
Reo	.19½	.19¾
Tob. Prod. Ex.	.01½	.02½
Un. Profit Shar.	.10¾	.11
Un. Retail Candy	.00¾	.00¾
Cities Serv. Com.	.51¾	.51¾
Cities Serv. Pfd.	.50	.50¼
Cities Serv. Bank	.28¾	.29¼
Am. Gas El.	.72½	.76
Lehigh Pow. Secs.	.19¾	.19¾
Oils		
Carib	.30¾	.31
Glenrock	.04	.05
Int. Pete	.33½	.33¾
Marl. Mex.	.01	.03
Mexico Oil	.15	.20
Cont'l Oil	.18¼	.18¾
Pennock Oil	.00¾	.10
Ryan Cons.	.05½	.06¾
Sapulpa	.10	.15
Salt Cr. Prod.	.30	.30¼
Salt Cr. Cons.	.10	.10¼
Wilcox	.55	.55¼
Conley Tinfoil	.13¾	.13¾
Mines		
Ariz. Globe	.03	.04
Butte & W.	.01	.10
Cal. Jerome	.06	.07
Cons. Cop.	.03¼	.03¼
Cresson	.95¾	.05¾
Delores	.35	.50
Eureka	.05	.09
Hecla	.14¼	.14¾
Hollinger	.20¼	.21¼
J. V. Devel	.20	.25
Kerr Lake	.75	.79
Mason Valley	.01¾	.01¾
Nipissing	.07¾	.08¼
Ohio Copper	.40	.47
Un. Eastern	.44	.45
Un. Verde Ex.	.28¾	.29
Wayne Coal	.74½	.75

Victoria Stock Exchange

Mining	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver	1.60	1.75
Dunwell Mines	1.50	1.57
Glacier Creek	.05½	.06
Gladstone	.35	.38
Goldsmith	.18	.21
Granby	55.00	57.00
Howe Sound	40.00	42.00
Independence Gold	.15	.18
Indian Mines	.09	.10
International Coal	.16½	.20
L. & L. Glacier	.08	.09
Lakeview	.02¼	.02¾
Leadamith	.06	.07½
Lucky Jim	.18	.20
Marmot Metals	..	.13
National Silver (G. B.)	..	.74
Porter-Idaho	.15¾	.20
Premier Gold	2.14	2.20
Richmond	.14½	.16
Rufus	..	.10
Russell Creek	..	.30
Ruth Hope	..	.31
Relkirk	..	.05
Silverado	..	.09
Silvercrest	.07½	.07¾
Silversmith	.40	1.00½
Sunloch	.49	.49
Terminus	..	.10
Victoria	..	.07
Oils		
B.C. Montana	.06 1-16	.06 3-16
Miscellaneous		
B.C. Perm. Loan	105.00	..
B.C. Telephone	130.00	..
B.C. Electric, P. & G.	105.50	104.50
Local Curb Stocks		
Torrie	2.10	2.50
Malaspina	..	.10
Coast Copper	2.25	..
Slocan King	.12	.13½
Silver Ledge	..	.02½
Northland	..	.19

Sales

1,000 Silvercrest, .07½; 300 Indian, .06¼; 20 Coast Copper, 3.25.

Calgary Oil Stocks

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co. by direct private wire)

	Bid	Asked
Alberta Pacific Cons.	.15	.18
British Dominion	.35	..
Dalhousie	1.95	2.05
Hudson's Alberta	.45	.50
New McDougal Segur	.65	.80
McDougal Exp.	..	1.35
McLeod	3.50	3.05
Mill City	.25	..
Royalite	27.00	30.50
Turner Valley	.50	.55
United	.98	1.00
Vulcan	5.85	5.00

TORONTO MINES

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Amulet	1.13	..
Argonaut	.38	..
Beaver	.02¾	.03¾
Barry	.44	..
Buckingham	.04¾	.09
Dome	6.70	..
Gold Hill	.36	..
Hollinger	20.30	21.00
Hunton	.10	..
Kirkland Lake	.58	..
Lakeshore	18.00	19.10
McIntyre	58.00	..
Noranda	61.45	..
Premier	3.15	3.15
Teck Hughes	6.35	6.40
Tough Oakes	.40	.47
Vipond	1.45	1.50
Wright Hargreaves	19.00	..
Night Hawk	.04¾	..
Can. Lorrain	.35¼	..
Castle	.48	..
Crowe Reserve	.05½	.09
Keeley	1.03	1.44
Lakeside	.02¾	..
McKinley	.13	.14
Mill Creek	.04¾	..
Mining Corpn.	.01	..
Nipissing	7.60	..
Cupal	.07	..
Area	.29	..
Degrat	.13¾	.14
Layne	.74	..
Towagmac	1.45	..
Indian	.01¾	..
Victory	.04¾	.09
Central Manitoba Mines	1.17	..

VICTORY AND WAR BONDS

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

Victory Loan, 5½%—Tax Free

Interest due—	Bay	Sell
1927, 1st June and Dec.	100.10	100.45
1933, 1st May and Nov.	104.10	104.35
1937, 1st June and Dec.	107.10	107.00

War Loan, 5%—Tax Free

1931, 1st April and Oct.	101.00	101.90
1937, 1st Mar. and Sept.	102.00	106.85

(Payable New York)

Victory Loan, 5½%

1927, 1st May and Nov.	100.45	100.55
1933, 1st May and Nov.	103.10	103.50
1934, 1st May and Nov.	103.65	103.80

Dominion Loan

1928, 15th Apr. and Oct., 5%	100.45	100.55
1943, 15th Apr. and Oct. 5%	103.50	103.80
1949, 1st Mar. and Sept. 4½%	98.15	98.55
1944, 15th Apr. and Oct. 4½%	94.65	94.90
1934, 1st Feb. and Aug. (C.N.R.) 5%	104.75	

Prices subject to ¼ of 1% brokerage.
Add accrued interest to date:
1937, 1937, 118 days, 1.722 per $100
1927, 1933, 1933, 1934, 148 days, 2.039 per $100.
1928, 1943, 103 days, 0.560 per $100.
1944, 148 days, 2.014 per $100.

Trail Ore Receipts

MONTREAL, March 29.—Ore receipts at Trail smelter from March 15 to 21, inclusive, and from January 1 to date, in tons: Company's mines, 6,979; 102,639. Other mines, 3,927; 39,333. Total, 10,906; 141,972.

WHEAT MARKET IS FIRM IN ADVANCE

Prices Generally Close One Cent Above Yesterday's Close—Cash Wheat in Demand

WINNIPEG, March 29.—Easier foreign cables and business which was almost exclusively confined to local dealers, failed to undermine values on the Winnipeg grain exchange today.

Early weakness was quickly overcome and prices generally closed 1 cent above yesterday's close, with May 140¼, July 137¼ and October 127¾.

Traders with bullish feelings gave the market most of its support, while a moderate business was attributed to commission houses on short coverings.

Coarse grains were not in demand. Cash wheat found a good outlet at spreads unchanged to ¼ cent lower.

Direct exporters are reported to have worked a big business overnight.

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
May	138¾	140¼	138¾	140¼
July	136	137¾	136	137¼
Oct.	126¾	127¾	126¾	127¾ b
Oats—				
May	54¾	55¾	54¾	55¾
July	52¾	53¾ b	52¾	53¾ b
Oct.	48¾	49¾ b	48¾	49¾ b
Barley—				
May	72¾	74¼ b	72¼	73¾ b
July	..	..	..	72a
Oct.	67¼ b	..	..	67¼ b
Flax—				
May	151	152¾	151	152¾ b
July	154¾	155¾ b	154¼	155¾ b
Oct.	153¾	155¾ b	153¾	155¼ b
Rye—				
May	58¾	101¼ b	50	100¾
July	98	100¼ b	98	100¼ b
Oct.	95	96b	95	96b

Cash Prices

Wheat—1 nor., 143¾; 2 nor., 138¾; 3 nor., 130¾; No. 4, 120¼; No. 5, 106¼; No. 6, 96¼; feed, 79¼; track, 141¼.

Oats—2 cw., 56¾; 3 cw., 52¾; extra 1 feed, 51¾; 1 feed, 49¾; 2 feed, 46¾; rejected, 42¾; track, 55¾.

Barley—3 cw., 72¼; 4 cw., 70; rejected, 66¼; feed, 65¼; track, 72¾.

Flax—1 nwc., 189¾; 2 cw., 185¾; 3 cw., 169¾; rejected, 164¾; track, 198¾.

Rye—2 cw., 98¾.

VANCOUVER EXCHANGE

VANCOUVER, March 30.—Today's quotations on the Vancouver Stock Exchange were:

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver	1.82	1.72
Bayview	.03½	.04½
Boundary Red	.00	.10
Cork	.05½	.06
Dunwell	1.32	1.34
Glacier	.05½	.06½
Gladstone	.29	.31
Howe Sound	40.00	42.00
Independence	.03¾	..
Lakeview	.02¾	.03½
Lucky Jim	.20¾	.21
Marmot Metals	..	.12
McQuillivray	.75	.90
Premier (Ex-Div.)	2.14	2.19
Porter-Idaho	.15¾	.18¾
Ruth Hope	.25	.28
Silver Crest	.07¼	.07¾
Silversmith	.39	.42
Standard Silver-Lead	..	.26
Surf Inlet	.01½	.02
Terminus	..	.16
Victoria	..	.15
Leadamith	.06¾	.08¾
National Silver	.18¼	.19½
Coast Copper	9.50	10.00
B.C.E.R., P. & G.	103.20	..
B.C. Tel. com. (Ex-Div.)	110.00	112.00
B.C. Permanent Loan	110.00	120.00
Oils		
B.C. Montana	.06 1-16	.06¼
British Petroleum	.11¾	.12
Maple Leaf	.15	.20
Trojan Oil	.01	.02

Morning Sales

1 B.C. Elec. at 103.50; 2,000 Relkirks at .02; 4,500 Lucky Jim at .20; 500 Silver Crest at .28½; 1,500 Porter-Idaho at .18½; 1,000 at .18; 100 Premier at 2.18; 300 at 2.15; 5,000 British Petroleum at .12; 1,000 at .11¾; 100 Dunwell at 1.30; 400 at 1.31; 100 at 1.33; 400 at 1.32; 800 at 1.34; 5,000 Glacier at .05; 4,000 at .05¾; 10 Coast Copper at 9.75; 500 Leadamith at .06½; 1,000 Cork Province at .08¾; 500 Independence at .15.

Afternoon Sales

200 Premier at 2.20; 100 Dunwell at 1.35; 1,100 at 1.33; 5,000 Lucky Jim at .20¾; 5,000 at .21; 5,000 at .21½; 1,000 Porter-Idaho at .18½; 100 Maple Leaf at 17; 500 Silver Crest at .07; 110 Coast Copper at 9.75; 1,000 Indian at .04½; 1,000 Cork at .06¾; 4,000 Cork Province at .08¾; 1,000 National Silver at .18¾; 1,000 Leadamith at .06¾.

MONTREAL STOCKS

(All Fractions in Eighths)

	Close
Abitibi	81-2
Asbestos	21-7
Asbestos pfd.	95-4
Atlantic Sugar	87-4
Bell Telephone	137-4
Brazilian Trac.	157-1
B.C. Fish. & Pack.	81-2
Brompton Paper	51-2
Can. Cement com.	197-7
Can Cement pfd.	114
Can. Car Fdy. com.	34
Can. Car Fdy. pfd.	90
Can. S.S. com.	40-4
Can. S.S. pfd	85-4
Can. Cottons	125
Can. Converters	190
Can. Ind Alcohol	48-2
Cons. M. & S.	351-2
Dominion Bridge	162-5
Dominion Glass	114-4
Dominion Textile	114-4
Howard Smith	80
Lake of Woods Milling	155
Laurentide Co.	166-6
Mackay Co.	130-4
Montreal Power	77-4
National Breweries	95
Ontario Steel	75-4
Ogilvie Milling Co.	245
Ottawa Power	191
Penmans Ltd.	128
Shawinigan (new)	74-7
Spanish River Pulp	101-4
Spanish River Pulp pfd.	113
Steel of Canada	138
Twin City Elec.	56
Winnipeg Elec.	65-6

Chicago Grain

(Supplied by B.C. Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

CHICAGO, March 29.—Wheat was slightly easier early but rallied quickly on reports of large ocean freight bookings and of liberal business in Manitoba wheat, with around 400,000 bushels Red Winter taken at the Gulf. There was also reports of heavy abandonment of acreage in Western Kansas, which led to buying and a bulge that carried the May up around one cent over the early low. Trade in aggregate was not large and selling against offers was a factor in checking the upturn. Kansas State report construed as generally favorable and made no mention of abandonment of acreage. Corn was under pressure at the start but the selling soon let-up and market rallied quickly to above yesterday's finish and pit shorts covered on way up. Country offerings and movement light with local arrivals limited. Spot basis firmer. Eastern cash demand slow. Oats influence by action of other grains to some extent. Weather favorable for field work. Liverpool is due ⅝ to ¾d higher Wednesday.

(Supplied by B.C. Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
May	137¾	141¾	137¾	141¼
July	138¾	139¾	137¾	139¾
Sept.	136¾	137¾	136¾	137¾
Corn—				
May	71¾	73¼	71¼	73¾
July	74¾	77¾	74¾	77¾
Sept.	72¾	75¾	72¾	75¾
Oats—				
May	43¾	44¼	43¾	44¼
July	44¾	44¾	43	44¾
Rye—				
May	99¾	101¾	99¾	101¾
July	97¾	98¾	97¾	99¾

FOREIGN BONDS

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

Austrian 7s, 1943	..	104	104¼
French 7s, 1949	..	101¾	101¾
French 7½s, 1941	..	111¾	112
French 5½s, 1945	..	110	110¾
German 7s, 1949	..	197¾	101¾

We Will Buy:

400	Premier Gold Mining Co.	@ $2.13
350	Porter-Idaho Mining Co.	@ 15c
200	Silverado Mines	@ 33c
1,200	Indian Mines	@ 6c
50	Coast Copper Mines	@ $9.00

We Will Sell:

2,000	Silver Crest	@ 8c
1,000	Marmot Metals	@ 12c
1,000	Ruth Hope Mines	@ 30c
800	Gleaner Mining & Milling Co.	@ 35c
2,000	Silver Ledge Mines	@ 3c

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Northwestern National Portland Bank Closes

PORTLAND, Ore., March 29.—Affairs of the Northwestern National Bank of Portland, upon which a run was started yesterday, were taken in hand today by the United States National Bank and the First National Bank, which guaranteed all deposits and arranged to liquidate the bank.

All depositors will be paid in full by the two banks, which with the Portland Clearing House will arrange for the liquidation of the Northwestern. The banks today had available $15,000,000 cash with which to pay off depositors. Liquidation of the Northwestern Bank's affairs is expected to require several months.

MONEY MARKETS

LONDON, March 29.—Money, 4 per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 4 7-16 per cent; three months bills, 4 5-16 to 4⅜ per cent.

At New York

NEW YORK, March 29.—Call money firm; all loans 4½; closing bid 4½. Time loans steady; mixed collateral, 60-90 days, 4⅝ to 4½; 4-6 months, 4⅝ to 4½. Prime mercantile paper, 4 to 4½ per cent.

NEW YORK SUGAR

NEW YORK, March 29.—No change occurred in the raw sugar market today, with sales reported of 10,000 bags of Cuban, prompt shipment, 10,500 Philippine due next week, and 5,000 bags of Porto Rican, prompt shipment at 4.65. Only moderate inquiry was reported for refined sugar. Prices were unchanged at 5.95 to 6.20 for fine granulated.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, March 29.—Eggs and cheese easy; butter steady.

Cheese—Finest westerns, 16¾ to 16¾.

Butter—No. 3 pasteurized, 46.

Eggs—Fresh extras, 37; fresh firsts, 34.

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, March 29.—Closing wheat quotations, spot and en route: 1 nor., 143¾; 2 nor., 139¾; 3 nor., 127¾; No. 4 wheat, 117¼; No. 5, 105¼; No. 6, 95¼; feed, 79¼; screenings, $11.50 per ton.

SILVER MARKETS

LONDON, March 29.—Bar silver, 25⅝d per ounce.

At New York

NEW YORK, March 29.—Bar silver, 55⅝. Mexican dollars, 43⅝.

PARIS, March 29.—Removal of the interallied military control commission from Hungary has been ordered by the allied council of ambassadors, effective Thursday. The ambassadors' action followed a recent similar decision withdrawing the military control commission from Germany.

Could Not Sleep Heart and Nerves Were So Bad

Mr. Geo. Meek, Windsor, Ont., writes:—"I suffered with my heart and nerves and could not sleep at night for noises in my head. I managed to keep at my work somehow, until I began to have dizzy spells which got so bad I could not go to my work. I was afraid to go out any place, for very often I would stagger on my feet, and everything in front of me would turn black and fade away. While I was home sick a friend told me to take I got four boxes and by the time I had used them the pains and noises in my head ceased and I was able to get a good night's rest. Although that was six years ago I have never been troubled with that complaint again."

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Vancouver Island News

LICENCES OCCUPY NANAIMO COUNCIL

TRADES LICENCE REGULATIONS ARE DISCUSSED BY CITY COUNCIL

Board of Health Questions Occupy Attention of Council Regarding Enforcing of Quarantine

NANAIMO, March 29.—The City Council last evening devoted much time to the discussion of the trade licence by-law amendment, By-law No. 425. Eighteen clauses were dealt with at the meeting, and the remaining clauses will be taken up at next regular meeting. The first clause dealing with licence to be paid by proprietors of billiard halls caused considerable discussion. The amended by-law would have proprietors pay $12.50 for the first table, and $3.50 for each additional table, every six months. Alderman Ironside, of the legislative committee, explained that the billiard men were satisfied with this licence, but asked that in view of the fact that their best night for business was on Saturday, they be allowed to remain open until midnight insteady of 11 o'clock, as is at present. The clause regarding the licence was passed, and the question of extending the Saturday hours will be dealt with later.

Sitting as a Board of Health, following the Council meeting, Medical Health Officer Dr. W. F. Drysdale addressed the meeting, and registered a strong objection to the fact that he was not receiving proper support in the enforcement of the by-law governing quarantinable cases in the city. The health officer explained at some length, and read a letter from a local doctor, to support his contention that quarantinable or notifiable infectious diseases were not being properly reported to the health officer.

"Unless," stated Dr. Drysdale, "I receive better support in the immediate future, I will tender my resignation as medical health officer. I cannot do my duty to the public as things are at present."

It was decided that all physicians in the city be requested to meet the Board of Health and medical health officer on Wednesday evening next. The letter will also contain a copy of Clause 31 of the Health By-law.

Farmers' Institute Hear Address From Mr. W. Downes

EAST SOOKE, March 29.—A meeting of the Farmers' Institute was held at Ragley on Monday evening, at which twenty-three were present. Mr. Downes, the Dominion entomologist, gave an interesting address on "Insects, and How to Cope With Them."

Mrs. MacLachlin, superintendent of Women's Institutes, was unable to be present as arranged. The market question was discussed; finally it was settled to hold a meeting in town at a date yet to be fixed, and ask delegates to attend from the different districts interested in the scheme. The children's garden competition was also discussed and all details left in the hands of Messrs. Reid, Aylard and Wicker. Refreshments were served after the meeting.

Lady Emily Walker is staying with Mrs. Parmiter, at 63 Gorge Road, until Thursday, and then goes to North Vancouver to visit Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sykes for a week, to recuperate after influenza.

Sooke News

SOOKE, March 29.—The monthly meeting of the Holy Trinity Church Guild will be held at the home of Mrs. B. J. Hawkins on Wednesday, March 30, at 3 p.m.

A meeting of the Sooke Farmers' Institute will be held at Sooke Hall on Monday, April 4, at 8 p.m. Speakers for the subjects of "Certified Seed Potato Work," "Poultry and Dairying," will be announced later. A discussion of arrangements for transportation of produce during the time of the closing of Sooke Road, at the beginning of May, will take place.

A new roadway entrance to the Hotel Belvedere is under construction and will soon be completed.

Chemainus

CHEMAINUS, March 29.—The annual general meeting of the Chemainus Recreation Club was held on Friday. There was a good attendance and the following officers were elected for 1927: Mr. Frank Halhed, president; Mr. Atkinson, vice-president; Mr. Wahn, secretary-treasurer; Messrs. Davidson, James, Wight and A. Jones, directors.

The Chemainus Lawn Tennis Club held its annual meeting recently, with Mr. K. Tweedie, president, presiding. The regular business being dispensed with, the following officers were elected for 1927: Mr. B. Devitt, president; Mr. H. E. Donald, vice-president; Mr. V. Pritchard, secretary; Mrs. Dunne and Mr. A. Howe, committee members.

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Departure Bay Residence Burned

NANAIMO, March 29.—Fire on Sunday morning destroyed the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Markle, Departure Bay, together with contents. The only articles saved were a trunk and suitcase filled with personal belongings. The building, which was owned by Mr. Hiram Gough, of Nanaimo, was partially covered by insurance.

CLAYOQUOT HOTEL WILL BE REOPENED

Mr. J. Anderson Will Take Over Premises at Tofino Shortly

TOFINO, March 29.—Mr. "Jim" Anderson, formerly Provincial policeman at Clayoquot, is returning by the boat of April 1 to take over the management of the Clayoquot Hotel, which he intends to run along modern lines. Mrs. Anderson and family arrived here on the boat of March 23 and are at present residing on Stubbs Island.

Major Nicholson, who is retiring from business on the Clayoquot side, having succumbed to the lure of the West Coast, has determined to become a permanent resident of Tofino and, with this purpose in view, he has purchased a fine home and two acres of land on picturesque Vaeland Beach from the former owner, Mr. Richard Guppy, of this place.

A whist drive and dance was given at the Community Hall last Saturday evening, which was largely attended by people of the settlement. Mr. Alfred Tundel won the first men's prize and Mrs. N. E. Thomas the ladies'. These proceedings were succeeded by a substantial luncheon and a dance. The music was furnished on the piano by the Mesdames Whittaker, Coton and Nicholson.

PROFESSOR STRAIGHT TALKS TO FARMERS

Interesting Address Is Given in Metchosin Hall to Farmers' Institute

METCHOSIN, March 29.—There was a good attendance at the Farmers' Institute meeting, held Monday evening in the Metchosin Hall. Professor Straight, of the Dominion Experimental Farm, gave a most interesting talk on "Fruit Growing," describing the work clearly, from the preparation of the land, choice of suitable site, to the planting of the trees, giving a demonstration of the preparation of the tree. He stated that there was no over-production of fruit in British Columbia, most of the fruit consumed being imported.

Mr. John Hutchison, of the Rockhome Gardens, spoke on the general planning of a flower garden and gave illustrations of the making of rock gardens and rock walls. He also mentioned the British Columbia-grown sweet pea seeds were second to none, and were now being advertised in the best English gardening periodicals, and were being shipped both to England and the United States in increasing quantities. Some of the best fancy seed was grown at Elk Lake, all of which was exported. A hearty vote of thanks was proposed by Mr. Pollock to the two speakers.

Mr. H. G. Pierce mentioned the children's seed-growing contest, which is being arranged by the Department of Agriculture and the Rotary Club, and mentioned that full particulars would be sent to the school teacher. Names to be sent in of those entering not later than April 15.

Refreshments were served by the Women's Institute, the coffee being donated by the Western Grocers, Limited, of Vancouver.

TRANSPORTATION BECOMES ISSUE

PROBLEM DIVIDES OPINION IN DUNCAN CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL AREA

Further Data Will Be Sought by Trustees on Subject of Distances From Schools

DUNCAN, March 29.—Who shall ride and who shall walk, among the pupils of the Duncan Consolidated School, resident at or about the two-mile limit from the school, was the subject matter which engaged the attention of the members of the school board at the City Hall last night.

The meeting was the result of a petition from parents affected, asking for a special meeting, and a considerable delegation was present to support the views of the petitioners. A number of letters dealing with the matter were also read.

Since consolidation of the schools came into effect some years ago, a ruling has been enforced, limiting transportation of children to those resident two miles or further from the school. These distances were rather indifferently established, but more recently the distances have been definitely marked by surveyors' posts, and the result has caused dissatisfaction in some instances.

Complaint was voiced at the meeting that boys of 'teen age who resided just beyond the two-mile post were allowed to ride, while tots resident a hundred yards closer to the school had to walk.

After some discussion the following resolution was adopted:

"That the transportation committee be requested to furnish the board with the following information: (1) Number of children on each separate route, at present transported, who reside outside the two-mile limit; and (2) number of additional children under the age of eight years, on each separate route, who reside between one and one-half and two miles from the graded school."

Concert Proves Attractive Feature

LUXTON, March 29.—An excellent concert arranged by Mr. Edward Parsons, of Victoria, was held in the Hall on Friday, under the auspices of the Women's Institute. Mrs. F. M. Parsons, Mr. Paul Edmonds and Mr. James Bryant delighted everybody with their singing, as also did Mr. Alfred Adams with his humorous items and Miss Beatrice Griffin with recitations. Miss Dorothy Parsons and Miss Phyllis Deaville were well received, and Mr. Fred Parsons and Mr. Stanley Deaville proved themselves able accompanists. A hearty vote of thanks was passed to the artists by Mr. J. Trace, sr., to which Mr. Parsons replied and said that unfortunately Dr. Bryce had been prevented from coming at the last minute. After supper served by the Women's Institute, there was dancing to music kindly supplied by Messrs. Schofield and Savage.

Ladysmith Feels Spring Revival

LADYSMITH, March 29.—In anticipation of industries being in operation and reports of much work to be done in the near future in Ladysmith and district, the residents of the community are becoming very optimistic regarding future developments.

Clydesdale Association Elects Annual Officers

CALGARY, March 29.—Pete Ritchie, Manchester, Ont., was today re-elected president of the Clydesdale Horse Association of Canada, at its annual meeting here. All other officers were re-elected, which includes Mr. William McKirdy, Chilliwack, B.C., on the directorate.

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CHAPTER VI

Alias Billy Griddle

Next morning Nevilles had an early visitor. He had just breakfasted and was on his way to the kennel-yard when he discerned a short, broad-shouldered individual dressed in stained khaki shirt and trousers, approaching up the path from the orchard.

"One of the farm hands, likely," he thought.

The man hailed him.

"You're Mr. Webster?"

"I am," Nevilles answered. "Want to see me?"

"If you don't mind," rejoined the other.

"My name's Abbott," he introduced himself as he came up. "Keeper of Drowned Acres shooting grounds."

"Ah!"

Nevilles extended his hand.

"Glad you came in, Abbott. I was intending to go down to the flats to have a look around soon. How are things down there?"

He motioned to a rustic seat beneath a tree and tendered his cigarette case.

"Birds were never more plentiful," said the keeper as he seated himself. "More blacks, greys and teal this year than we've had for years. O' course," he added, "thats' easy to account for. There's been no shootin' for four seasons now."

He gazed at Nevilles admiringly.

"Gosh, but you're filled out a lot since I last saw you. Guess you don't remember me, do you?"

Immediately Nevilles saw deep water ahead. Promptly he dived.

"Well, that's not to be wondered at, is it?" he hazarded. "You couldn't have been much older than myself then. You've got some bigger too, you know."

Abbott inhaled a deep breath of smoke and chuckled.

"Beats all how people change," he remarked. "Lord, I wouldn't have knowed you at all. I suppose you'll be down for the first day? There'll be some grand shootin'."

"Oh, I'll be there," promised Nevilles.

He was doing some quick thinking.

"By the way," he asked, "how's your Dad?"

Abbott's face lengthened.

"Dad's been dead these seven years," he answered. "Course you've come back sudden-like, and there are some things you haven't heard yet likely. Yes sir, I've been keeper since Dad passed over."

He tossed away his burned-out cigarette and stood up.

"What I wanted to see you about this morning is just this. You know, I s'pose, that the guys who've been managin' this estate since Mr. Parnley's death propose leasin' Drowned Acres to a syndicate?"

"What's that?"

Nevilles was all attention now.

"Leasing the duck grounds to a syndicate? What syndicate?"

Abbott threw out his hands.

"That's as much as I know. But I know this, sir," he cried, smashing his fist into the palm of his hand, "Mr. Parnley wouldn't want them grounds shot over by no syndicate. You know how he felt abut his trout-stream and shooting-ground, sir! Well, word came to me that you had turned up, and says I to Storm—he's my helper—'Storm,' says I, 'I'm going up and put this thing straight to young Webster. Maybe he don't know what's in the wind,' I says. So up I comes."

"You did perfectly right, Abbott," commended Nevilles.

"And listen, Mr. Webster, on my way up here I met a party on Jim Turnbull's yacht. I steered my launch close in enough to get a good look. There were quite a bunch of men aboard."

"Well," said Nevilles, "they might have been simply taking an early morning cruise."

The keeper shook his head.

"Nope, they were on their way to Drowned Acres; you can bank on that, sir."

He chuckled gleefully.

"Course, they'll have their trip for nothing. They'll never be able to get in."

"What do you mean, Abbott?"

The man stared.

"Why, Mister David!" he exclaimed, "you ought to know without askin'. Who else in this world, except my old dad, Storm, and myself could ever find his way up Devil's Maze and through Bee-Beer gate? Why, even you could never do it; nor could Mr. Parnley, although Dad tried time and again to teach him how."

Nevilles shook his head.

"I'm afraid I've forgotten," he admitted.

Abbott spoke eagerly.

"That's it. A feller does forget something in ten years or so. I know. But maybe if I jog your memory a bit it'll all come back. You remember o' course that Drowned Acres ponds and lodge is separated from the river by what's known as the Stalman quicksands; there's no portagin' a boat across them suck-unders. Two or three have tried it, but—well, where are they now? You'll maybe recollect that betwixt this bar and the river there's a number of water-chains through the rushes, some of 'em blind, others of 'em leadin' to heaven only knows where? That's called Devil's Maze. But what I'm gettin' to is just this. There's only one entrance to Drowned Acres proper, and that's Bee-Beer gate. Now then, just what is Bee-Beer gate?"

Again Nevilles shook his head.

"Then what's bee-beer? Ever see bee-beer?"

"Yes," Nevilles answered, "I have."

"Good. How does that stuff act? Keeps risin' and fallin', doesn't it, slowly up and down, movin' all the time?"

"Yes, it does."

Abbott nodded.

"Sure. Well, so does this section of quicksands that's called Bee-Beer gate. It's only about four feet wide and looks solid enough on the surface, but you can paddle a boat through it if you know how. That's what we have to do, comin' and goin'. And, Mr. Webster, before you you see the only man except one who can find that gate. That one is John Storm."

"Which means," said Nevilles, "that providing this syndicate of which you speak gets possession of Drowned Acres, the ground will cease to be impregnable? The members will demand to be shown the gate."

"That's just it!" cried Abbott. "Of course, sir, if you sanction the lease——"

"Abbott," said Nevilles, "I don't sanction it. We're going to keep Drowned Acres as it is for ourselves."

With a whoop of joy Abbott gripped Nevilles's hand.

"By George, I'm glad to hear that," he exclaimed.

"Whom have you down there besides yourself and your helper?" Nevilles asked.

"Nobody," answered the keeper.

He looked questioningly at Nevilles.

"I just might want you to entertain a visitor sometime," said Nevilles. "I'm not sure yet. If so, you'd be willing?"

"Willin'. You bet. Anythin' you ask will be done, and done quick and right, sir."

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